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FOREIGN NAVAL CIRCLES ARE WATCHING DEVELOPMENTS AT HAINAN ISLAND

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OCCUPATION EXPLAINED BY TOKYO SPOKESMAN

TOKYO, Feb. 10 (T/Ocean)—THE OCCUPATION OF HAINAN ISLAND HAS A TWOFOLD PURPOSE, A NAVAL SPOKESMAN, ADML. KANAZAWA DECLARED to-day—strengthening of the blockade of China and, thereby, the final destruction of the fighting power of the Chungking Government. After the fall of Canton and the interruption of communication with Hongkong, the Gulf of Tongking and Kwachow Bay had remained the only approaches to south-western China by sea. Transports for the Chungking Government had been made mostly by armed junks the base of which had been Hainan Island. Since the Japanese Navy alone was not able to enforce the blockade the destruction of that base had become necessary.

JAPANESE LAND IN HAINAN

TOKYO, Feb. 10 (Reuter)—It is officially reported that Japanese forces landed in Hainan Island to-day. The report goes on to state that crack units of the army and navy effected a surprise landing early this morning and that they are now proceeding inland under a united front.

PIRATES FIRE ON BRITISH TUG

SHANGHAI, Feb. 10 (Reuter)—A pirate-manned junk fired on the British tug Alexandra this morning in the Lower Yangtze. Five Chinese passengers were wounded while more than ten, who became panic-stricken, jumped overboard and were drowned. The English skipper of the tug, Capt. J. T. Inch, put on full steam and out-distanced the pirates.

NEW JAPANESE ORDERS

SHANGHAI, Feb. 10 (T/Ocean)—New regulations compelling foreigners to produce passes issued by the Japanese authorities when passing Japanese sentries came into force to-day in Hankow. The original regulations, however, have been modified considerably and now only apply as regards sentries stationed at roads leading in and out of the Chinese section of Hankow so that the areas where foreigners reside are not affected, foreigners only having to show passes when wishing to enter Chinese parts of the city.

It will be recalled that the same state of affairs exists in Shanghai where foreigners also need passports in order to enter the Chinese parts of Shanghai, that is, Chapel and Nantao.

EPIDEMIC OF INFLUENZA

CHICAGO, Feb. 10 (Reuter)—Fifty-five persons have died since February 1 in Illinois following an epidemic of influenza, pneumonia and other respiratory diseases. It is reported that at least 5,000 are ill in the northern part of Illinois.

WARRANT ISSUED

According to a police report last night, a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Ho Ying-cheung, nephew of Mr. Ho Cheuk-ho, sub-manager of the Bank of Kwangtung. Ho Ying-cheung arrived on Thursday from Macao with \$10,000 Hongkong currency and has since disappeared.

LINK WITH UNIVERSITY IS SEVERED

PROF. MIDDLETON SMITH RETIRES

With the retirement from the Takoo Chair of Engineering at the University of Hongkong on February 9 of Professor C. A. Middleton Smith, M.Sc., M.I. Mech., A.M.I.E.E., a link with that institution reaching right back to the year of its foundation has been severed.

When Professor Middleton Smith vacated his Chair, he had just reached his 60th birthday. He was appointed in May, 1912, arriving in the Colony in September. For a whole year Sir Charles Elliot, Vice-Chancellor, Mr. Matthewman, Lecturer in Physics, Mr. Hinton, Registrar, and Professor Middleton Smith himself were the only full time members of the staff, and for that period—1912 to 1913—the last named was the only Professor in the University.

In comparison, there are now 28 British professors and lecturers and a large staff of Chinese assistants on the University's full-time staff. In this first year of the University, there were 54 students, 37 of whom took engineering.

During Professor Middleton Smith's service of nearly 27 years, 287 engineering students graduated, of whom 78 received honours degrees. The London Assessors who are examiners in Engineering in the University of London certify each year that the standard attained at the University of Hongkong has been equal to that required by the London University for an honours degree.

Amongst his other activities, Professor Middleton Smith has written a very large number of articles in technical and other journals, most of which dealt with engineering development in China.

Professor Middleton Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Middleton Smith, leaves for home on March 9.

Bold Attack By Guerillas In Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Feb. 10 (T/Ocean)—A number of Chinese guerillas this morning made a bold attack on the Japanese gendarmarie headquarters at Jessfield village in close proximity of the western border of the Shanghai International Settlement.

The same building also houses the headquarters of the police of the so-called "Tatao Government." The guerillas fired a number of shots and threw several hand grenades and left a notice addressed to the "Tatao" policemen asking them not to be traitors and to quit Japanese employment. It is not ascertained whether anybody was wounded as the whole area was promptly cordoned off by the Japanese authorities.

CHINESE RECAPTURE HOPEI TOWN

SIAM, Feb. 10 (Central)—Jenkiu, midway between the Tientsin-Pukow and Peking-Hankow Railways in central Hopei, has been restored to Chinese control, according to latest military despatches received here.

The re-occupation followed a series of Chinese assaults which forced the Japanese to abandon the town. The Japanese retreated towards Hoken, south of Jenkiu.

ADVERTISEMENT COMPETITION

The "Hongkong Daily Press" has introduced a new competition in which our readers will no doubt take a keen interest. A series of five different questions are being published for three days in succession beginning on Thursday and ending to-day and the readers of the first ten correct replies received at the "Hongkong Daily Press," 319 Marine House, this morning will each be given a pair of tickets to see "Three Loves Has Nancy," to be shown at the King's Theatre. The fifteen replies should be sent in together and not separately. Answers will be published on Monday together with the names of the winners. Our decision is final.

Fanling Race Selections

(BY "FAIR LEA")

RACE 1	
Ebony Idol	1
Zero	2
Diogenes	3
RACE 2	
Malolo	1
Mortmain	2
Double Chance	3
RACE 3	
Brutus	1
Stratherrick	2
Streamline	3
RACE 4	
Cape York	1
Roofly	2
Fummary	3
RACE 5	
Sylvandale	1
Flybnight	2
Tempest	3
RACE 6	
Heriot	1
Mac's Adventure	2
National Dignity	3
RACE 7	
Post Entries.	

SURPRISE RAID ON JAPANESE STRONGHOLD

SIAM, Feb. 10 (Central)—In a surprise raid on Japanese stronghold at Shuangchiatsi, south of Yungcheng in east Honan, Chinese troops dispersed the Japanese employed irregulars under the command of Wang Fu-lai.

Liu Fang-kung, Pen Yi-eth, Wei Liang-min, so-called chief of staff and battalion commanders respectively, and Wang Chao-shan, father of Wang Fu-lai, were taken prisoner.

POPE PIUS WAS STATESMAN, SCHOLAR, MAN OF GOD

Pontificate Most Important Of The Last 300 Years

VATICAN CITY GLOOM

(BY FATHER G. BYRNE, S.J.) (Special to the "Hongkong Daily Press")

POPE PIUS XI IS DEAD. HIS HOLINESS PASSED AWAY IN THE EARLY HOURS OF YESTERDAY MORNING AT THE AGE OF 82 YEARS. HIS DEATH, which came with unexpected suddenness, has cast a gloom over the Vatican and thrown the whole of Italy and the Catholic world, as well as a large community of non-Catholics, into a state of mourning.

One of the best of the recent biographies of Pius XI, trying to look forward to the verdict of future historians on his work and his reign, does not hesitate to write "it is certainly safe to say that his pontificate will stand out as amongst the most important of the last three hundred years."

Scholar, statesman, man of God: no one who knows anything of his life can deny him those titles, and it must be admitted that they are titles, when united in any life, capable of marking out their possessor in a special way.

If the life be elevated to the throne which has the greatest world-wide appeal, and surely no throne can claim such a variety of subjects as the throne of Peter, they must make it unique. As a figure in the modern world Pius XI was, in this way, unique.

Born on May 31, 1857, Ambrose Damiano Achille Ratti, from his childhood was under the spell of the greatness of the Alps. The appeal to scale great heights was always with him. He scaled them. He ended his scholastic course with a triple doctorate: canon law, philosophy, theology. An interesting episode in his life was the presentation of the young Achille Ratti, a future Pope, to the scholar Pope Leo XIII, to receive his congratulations on his academic successes.

The Pope of the Aeterni Patris and Rerum Novarum blessed the Pope that was to be of encyclicals no less noteworthy, the Studiorum Duem and the Quadragesimo Anno. The Pope "formed in the Europe of Chateau-briand and de Maistre and Montalembert sent on his student way the Pope who would have to solve so many problems in the world of Mussolini, Hitler, Stalin.

For thirty years Don Achilles Ratti laboured between the Ambrosian library of Milan and the Vatican library. Scholars from all over the world got to appreciate a master scholar, as Prefect of the Ambrosian and subsequently of the Vatican library. One of them expressed his view thus: "If one had occasion to consult him...

the experience was always the same. With charm and courtesy he gave exactly the information one desired, concisely, in a few words, but always it was complete and reliable; and this no matter how complex and varied the details of what one put before him. If one wrote he always found time to reply, and with such a wealth of careful annotation, even in matters that were somewhat recondite, as to excite surprise and admiration."

In 1914 he was the official representative of the Vatican library at the Royal Society's celebration of the seventh centenary of the birth of Roger Bacon. As guest of honour he sat at the right of the Chancellor, Lord Curzon.

FAR FROM PAPACY When in 1917 he celebrated his sixtieth birthday he seemed far indeed from the Papacy, in his life of studious seclusion. A life of study which found its only holiday interruption in Alpine climbing. He was an Alpine climber whose great courage, power of endurance, love of adventure made him achieve, the first among climbers, the ascent of Monte Rosa from the Italian side. (Continued on Page 9)



THE LATE POPE PIUS XI

Anti-Comintern Pact To Be Military Alliance

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A charity concert will be given by the Hongkong Chinese Juvenile Association at the Ho Sing Theatre at 7.30 o'clock to-night.

REQUIEM MASS ON THURSDAY

On account of the death of His Holiness Pope Pius XI, the "Thanksgiving Service" which was to have taken place on Sunday at the Catholic Cathedral has been cancelled.

A Solemn Pontifical Requiem Mass for His Holiness will be celebrated on February 16 (Thursday) at 9 a.m.

INDIA WITHDRAWS FROM LEAGUE

RESOLUTION PASSED BY SINGLE VOTE

NEW DELHI, Feb. 10 (Reuter)—Congress resolution for India's immediate withdrawal from the League of Nations which the Legislative Assembly passed by 55 votes to 54 states that the League failed to implement Articles 18 of the Covenant, also that Britain persisted in following the wrong policy in Palestine, in contravention of Article 22, dealing with mandates.

RECOGNITION OF FRANCO GOVT. LIKELY

PARIS, Feb. 10 (Reuter)—It is believed in well-informed political circles that the French Government will decide to recognise Gen. Franco's Government at a meeting of the Council of Ministers on Saturday.

Recognition will be granted, it is thought, provided certain conditions are fulfilled, the chief of which is withdrawal of Italian troops in Spain.

The British and French Governments are maintaining close contact on the question.

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2 1/2 1/8.

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 28 7/8.

London Silver Market (Our Own Correspondent)

London, Feb. 10.

London silver prices to-day were down 1/16 for Spot and 1/8 for Forward as follows:—

Feb. 9 Feb. 10

Spot 20-1/4 20-3/16

Forward 19-7/8 19-3/4

In the World of Sports

NAVYLIGHT SHOWS GOOD PROMISE FOR DERBY

Ample Jockey Talent For Annual Race Meeting

(By "LAST QUARTER")

MY ARTICLE TO-DAY WILL BE CONFINED TO COMMENTS IN GENERAL ON THE DOINGS OF THE NEW PONIES ENTERED FOR THE ANNUAL RACE MEETING which opens on Saturday, February 25, and officially rings up the curtain for the 1939 season. This last week has seen quite a number of the contenders being put through regular trials, and coupled with the opportunity given owners last Wednesday and Thursday mornings, of galloping their ponies on the grass course; rail fans have been able to gain an insight into the actual capabilities of the various entrants.

The full complement of jockeys racing at the Valley last season are still available and with arrivals from the Northern ports, owners will have ample talent at their disposal for the five days of racing. Mr. T. L. Wong, who will do service for the Lan stable; is due in the Colony over the week end, while I understand that Mr. Marshall will be arriving on the 16th instant or thereabouts and will be up on the Sassoon nominations.

The Li Po Chun stable will probably have Mr. J. Pote Hunt again to look after their starters. In addition, Mr. T. Y. Wouh from Hankow, has been booked by a number of the smaller stables. Mr. Donald Black has returned from leave and will ride for the Marber stable and it was also gratifying to see Mr. W. H. S. Davis in the saddle again after a prolonged and enforced absence.

NAVYLIGHT IMPRESSES

As readers are undoubtedly interested in the Derby Forecast Pool, I will first discuss the chances of the various candidates for this classic. In my last article I stressed the excellent chances of Rose Elect and Hyndford Bridge, and warned readers to carefully watch the future performances of Navylight. This latter pony last Saturday morning was given a real test and came through the ordeal very creditably.

The "Clie" candidate was sent over the mile and a quarter course and after a first slow quarter of 40 seconds, this bay mare opened up and gave rail fans a glimpse of what she is capable of doing. The full time was 2:42-2/5, with the last mile in 2:02-2/5. The last quarter was covered in a fraction over 31 seconds and the half mile in 1:1-2/5. Navylight was moving easily at the finish and Candlelight, an Australian from the same stable, though conceded some three to four seconds at the start of the gallop, was caught half way through and unable to stay up with the Derby griffin over the final quarter.

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Local Soccer Forecast

SATURDAY
SENIOR SHIELD (Second Replay)
Kowloon (1) v. S. CHINA "A" (1)
JUNIOR SHIELD (Semi-Final)
Engineers v. MIDDLESEX
Division I
ROYAL SCOTS (1) v. Club (1)
(Figures in brackets denote score in previous match.)
Division II
5th A.A. v. ST. JOSEPH'S
Kowloon v. KWONG WAH
Division III (A)
R.A.S.C. v. KIT CHE
Stanley v. ELECTRIC
30th R.A. v. 5th R.A.
DIVISION III CHAMP.
(Second Round)
Royal Scots v. R.A.F.
SUNDAY
SENIOR SHIELD (Semi-Final)
ST. JOSEPH'S v. Police
JUNIOR SHIELD (Semi-Final)
P.W.D. v. Royal Scots

SHANGHAI TENNIS TEAM AT "I.R.C."

Good Match Down For To-Morrow

The Indian Recreation Club will engage the Shanghai University Chinese Graduates in a series of exhibition matches to-morrow on their courts, Sookunpoo Valley, commencing at 2.30 p.m. Three singles and two doubles will be played, and the following will represent the Indians:—
Singles:—Omar Rummah, H. D. Rummah and S. A. Rummah.
Doubles:—H. D. Rummah and A. H. Madar, A. R. Minu and I. M. A. Razack.

FRIENDLY HOCKEY MATCH

Club "A" beat the Navy 2nd XI by two goals to one in a friendly hockey encounter at King's Park yesterday. The two sides were evenly matched, the Club, perhaps, getting more of the play away from their goal area. Vickers opened the score for the Navy, a good shot for goal glancing in off Lowe's stick. Morgan equalized for the Club before the interval. Club and Navy pressed alternately after the interval, E. S. A. Morgan sending in the winning goal a few minutes before full time.

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SOFTBALL FIXTURES

The complete list of fixtures in the softball leagues to-morrow is as follows:—
FILIPINO CLUB GROUND
Cardinals v. Cubs, 10 a.m.
CENTRAL BRITISH GROUND
C. B. Girls v. Baby Panthers, 11 a.m.
Midgets v. C.B.A., 12.30 p.m.
P.K. Baseballers v. 3rd M.G. Coy., 1.45 p.m.
Chinese Baseballers v. Canadian Chinese, 3 p.m.
LA SALLE GROUND
H.K. Electric v. Socony, 10 a.m.
N.C. Bank v. Lucas, 11.30 a.m.
KAI TAK GROUND
China Underwriters v. Ewo, 2.15 p.m.
H.K. Bank v. Shell, 3.30 p.m.
R.A.F. GROUND
American Express v. Royal Air Force, 4 p.m.

HOME SOCCER

LONDON, Feb. 10 (Reuters).—In the First Division of the English Football League, Leicester City, playing at home, were beaten by Charlton by five goals to one.

REFEREES' MEETING

The half-monthly meeting of the Hongkong Football Referees' Association will be held in the offices of the Hongkong Football Association, Room 55, 4th Floor, Bank of Canton Building, on Monday, February 13, at 8 p.m.

SOFTBALL NOTES

MEN'S LEAGUE TEAMS COMPLETE FIXTURES

Hong Games Should Provide Best Sport For To-morrow

(By "R.O.Y.")

Three Men's League teams complete their season's fixtures in to-morrow's softball programme, which will consist of two ladies', three men's and five Hong matches. The ladies start off the day, as usual, at 10.00 a.m., when the Cardinals meet the Cubs in the only fixture to be played on the Filpino Club ground, the Wildcats-Filpino girls match having been postponed owing to the latter being unable to raise a team.

The Cardinals cannot afford to drop this game if they are to stay in the running for championship honours, so Coach Molthen has been holding frequent practice sessions, in anticipation of the strong opposition which is expected from the Cubs, who have been playing consistent but luckless ball.

Both squads will be at full strength and a keen tussle is indicated. The Central British Girls play at home against the Baby Panthers who have but one solitary win to their credit. The British girls have yet to register their first points, but should go close to doing so in this game as the Panthers are weaker than any squad the Muirmaids have previously met.

MEN'S LEAGUE

The Midgets are favoured to retain the leading position in

the Men's League with a victory over the Central British boys, who have displayed great hitting strength in all of their recent outings; in Herbie Quon, however, they will be up against the speediest hurler in the Colony and it is doubtful if they can produce enough hits to cause an upset here.

The Midgets are not expected to give anything away, as a loss would mean the end of their championship hopes for this season.

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Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

CRICKET.—First division, Kowloon v. Civil Service, Indians v. Army, Navy v. Craigengower. Second division, Civil Service v. Kowloon, Army v. Indians, Craigengower v. Navy, Police v. University, Club v. Recrelo.

FOOTBALL.—Senior shield replay Kowloon v. South China A (Sookunpoo), 4 p.m.; First division, Scots v. Club (Caroline Hill), 4.15 p.m.; Junior shield semi-final, Engineers v. Middlesex (Kowloon), 3.45 p.m. Second division, 5th R.A. v. St. Joseph's (St. Joseph's), 4.15 p.m.; Kowloon v. Kwong Wah (Kowloon), 2.30 p.m. Third division (A), R.A.S.C. v. Kit Che (Military), 4.15 p.m.; Stanley v. Electric (Military), 2.45 p.m.; 30th R.A. v. 5th R.A. (St. Joseph's), 2.45 p.m. Third division championship play-off, Scots v. R.A.F. (Sookunpoo), 2.30 p.m. Charity match, Navy v. Marines (Causeway Bay), 4.30 p.m.

GOLF.—Bogey pool, new course, Fanling.

HOCKEY.—Brawn Cup, C.B.A. v. C.B.S. (C.B.S.), 3 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. v. Club (Happy Valley), 3 p.m.; Recrelo A v. St. Andrew's A (St. Andrew's), 3 p.m.; Recrelo B v. D.G.S. (Recrelo), 3 p.m.

RUGBY.—Hongkong v. Malaya (Happy Valley), 4 p.m.

TENNIS.—Shanghai Universities v. Chinese Recreation Club (Causeway Bay), 2.30 p.m.

YACHTING.—First championship series, racing yachts.

TO-MORROW

FOOTBALL.—Senior shield semi-final, St. Joseph's v. Police (Causeway Bay), 3.30 p.m. Junior shield semi-final, P.W.D. v. Scots (Hongkong F.C.), 3.30 p.m.

GOLF.—Bogey pool, new course, Fanling.

RACING.—Grand National meeting (Kwunli), 2.30 p.m.

SOFTBALL.—Men, Canadians v. Recrelo; Baseballers v. Machine Gunners, Midgets v. C.B.A. Women, C.B.A. v. Panthers; Cardinals v. Cubs; Wildcats v. Filpino.

TENNIS.—Shanghai Universities v. Indians (Sookunpoo), 2.30 p.m.

YACHTING.—Sixth championship series, cruisers.

MONDAY, FEB. 13

YACHTING.—Fourth Women's second series.

HOCKEY.—University v. Combined Schools (Pokfulam), 4.45 p.m.

ADVERTISEMENT

THE FANLING HUNT & RACE CLUB

The Grand National Meeting will be held at Kwunli on Sunday, 12th February, 1939, commencing at 2.30 p.m.

Special trains leave Kowloon at 1.08 p.m. and leave Fanling at 6.30 p.m. The first Class Return fare of \$2 includes admittance to the Race Course.

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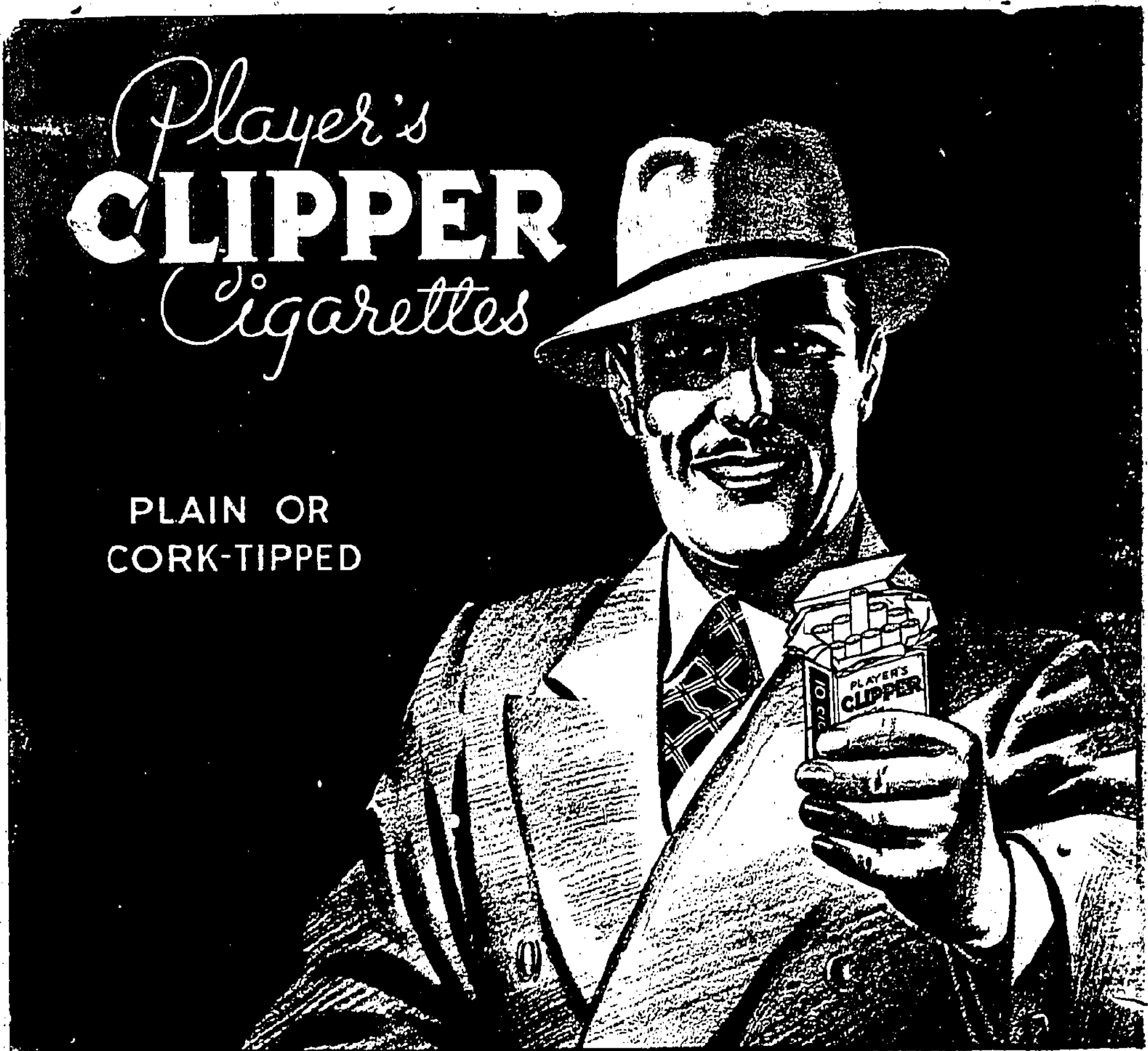
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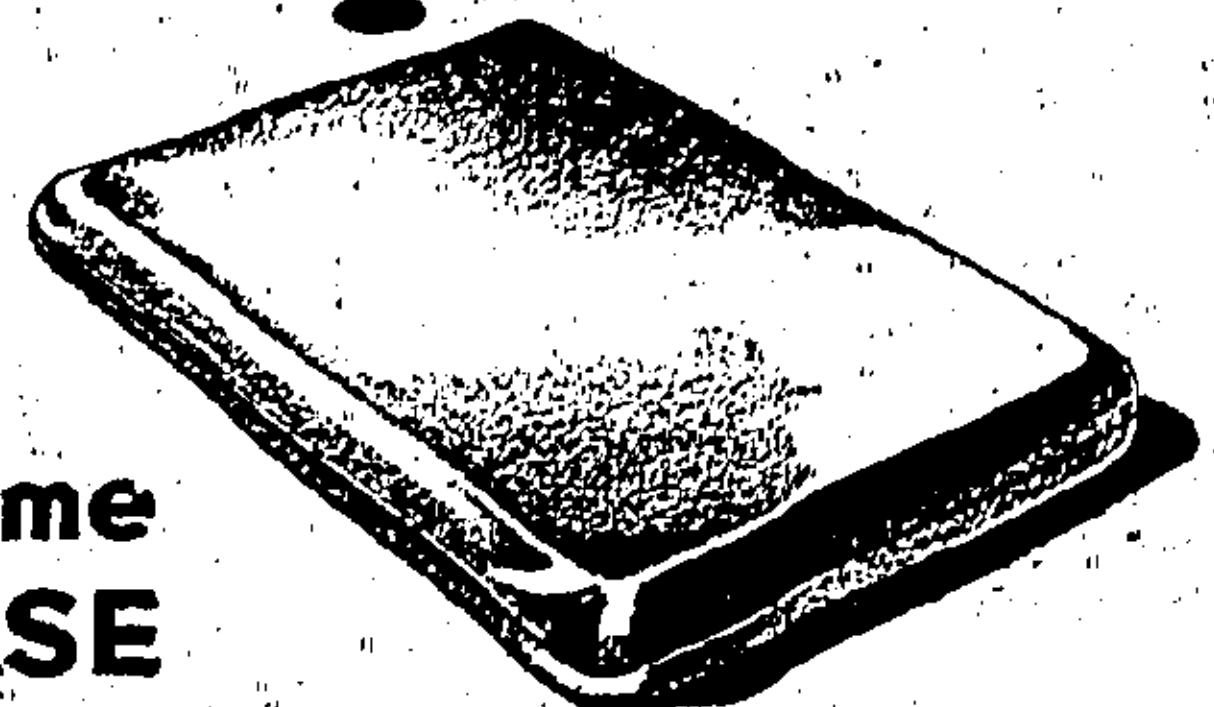
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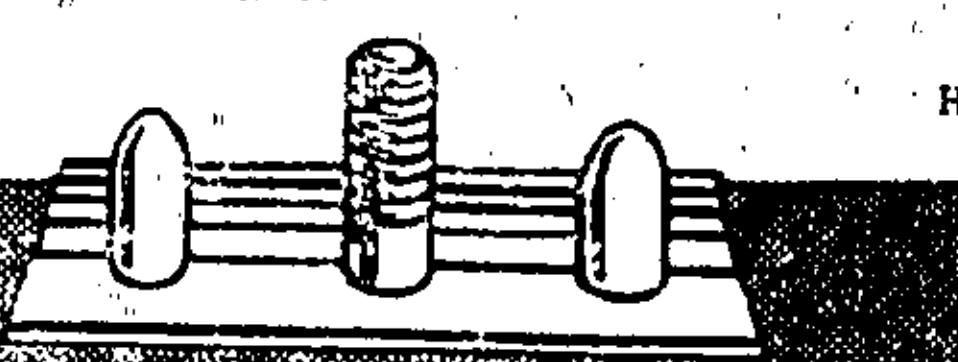
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COMMENTARY ON RUGGER MATCH

Malaya v. Hongkong

The Snow Maiden.
12.00 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

1.30 p.m. The Russian Novelty Orchestra in a Waltz Programme. Greetings Of Spring (Schwartz); Love Of A Gypsy (Schwartz); The Broken String; The Swallow Waltz; Volga (Composer Unknown); Joys Of The Past (Schwartz); Sorrowful (Schwartz); His Dreamy Waltz (arr. Schwartz); Waltz Of The Lost Love (arr. Schwartz).

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Swing Music.

Four String Joe—Quickstep—Joe Venuti's Blue Four. Shm-Me-Sha-Wabble—Fox-Trot. Some Sweet Day—Fox-Trot—Miff Mole's Mole's. Candy Lips—Fox-Trot. Nobody But My Baby—Fox-Trot—Louis Armstrong's Original Washboard Beaters. Wringing And Twisting—Fox-Trot. For No Reason At All In C—Fox-Trot—Frankie Trumbauer with Elx Belderbecke & Ed Lang (in their Three piece Orchestra). One O'Clock Jump—Fox-Trot. Lullaby In Rhythm—Fox-Trot—Eddie Carroll and His Swingphonic Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. Reuter & Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Jeannette MacDonald (Soprano), Tino Rossi (Tenor) and Louis Levy and The Gaumont British Symphony.

Music From The Movies—March (Levy); Empire Builders—March (film "Rhodes of Africa")—Louis Levy and The Gaumont British Symphony.

El Danzon—Rumba (from French film "Lumieres de Paris"); Aux Iles D'Amour—Tango (from French film "Lumieres de Paris"); Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Orchestra. Villa (film "The Merry Widow")—Jeannette MacDonald (Soprano) with Orchestra. "Radio City Revels"—Selection—Louis Levy and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. Volat Paris—March (from French film "Lumieres de Paris")—Tino Rossi (Tenor) with Orchestra. Tonight Will Teach Me To Forget

(film "The Merry Widow"); Try To Forget (film "The Cat and the Fiddle")—Jeannette MacDonald (Soprano) with Orchestra. Everybody Dance—Fox-Trot (from the film); My What A Different Night—Fox-Trot (film "Everybody Dance")—Louis Levy and His Gaumont British Symphony with Vocal Refrain.

2.15 p.m. Close down.
3.45 p.m. Relay from the Hongkong Football Club Ground of the Third Interport Rugby game against Malaya; Malaya v. Hongkong.

6.00 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—1 Don't Like (film "Keep Fit"); Do-De-O-Deh—Nat Genella and His Georgians with Vocal by Nat Genella. Fox-Trot—Where The World Ends; Waltz—Must You Say Goodbye? (film "Burgtheater")—Eugen Wolf & His Orchestra. Fox-Trots—Love Was Born (from "Crazy Days"); Stranger In A Cup Of Tea (from "Crazy Days")—Billy Mayerl and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. Tangos Night On The La Plata; Buen Amigo—Juan Llorens and His Tango Orchestra. Fox-Trots—Gangway (from the film); Moon Or No Moon (film "Gangway")—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. Conga—La Havana A Paris; Rumba—Cachita—Lecuna Cuban Boys with Vocal Chorus. Quickstep—Don't Say Goodbye; Waltz—I Hum A Waltz. Film This Is my Affair—Victor Silvester & His Ballroom Orchestra.

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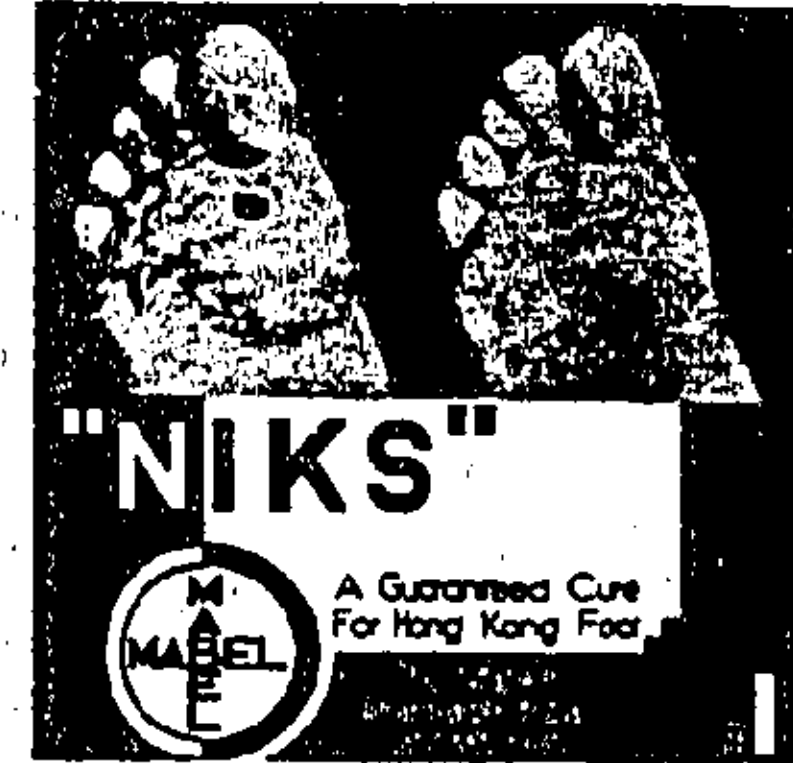
8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal. Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Variety with Gracie Fields, Tommy Handley, Arthur Marshall, Les Allen and Jack Hylton and His Orchestra.

Vocal—Rosalia (from the film)—Gracie Fields accom. by Fred Hartley and His Orchestra. Vocal—Afrald To Dream (film "You Can't Have Everything")—Les Allen with Lauri Day and Jimmy Turnbull on two pianos. Dance Orch.—Yours Truly Is Truly Yours—Fox-Trot; Fancy Meeting You—Comedy One-Step—Jack Hylton's Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. Humorous Monologue—Miss Pritchard's Tricycle (Marshall); Out With The Guides (Marshall)—Arthur Marshall, Vocal—I'll Stand By (Davis and Coats)—Les Allen & His Canadian Bachelors; Dear Little Boy Of Mine (Brennan & Hall)—Les Allen with Sidney Torch at the Organ. Vocal—I'm Playing With Fire (Berlin); The Photograph Of Mother's Wedding Group

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7.30—Empire Feature Programme (D2).

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8.30—"Number 17." Play by J. Jefferson Farjeon (D2).

8.50—"London Log." (D2).

9.00—Bobby Howell and his Band (D2).

9.30—News (D2).

10.00—Quentin Maclean, at Organ of Trocadero Cinema (D3).

10.30—"The Snow Maiden"—Acts I and II of opera by Rimsky-Korsakov (D3).

11.45—Pianoforte Interlude (D3).

12.00—News and Saturday sport (D3).

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12.25—Dance Music (D3).

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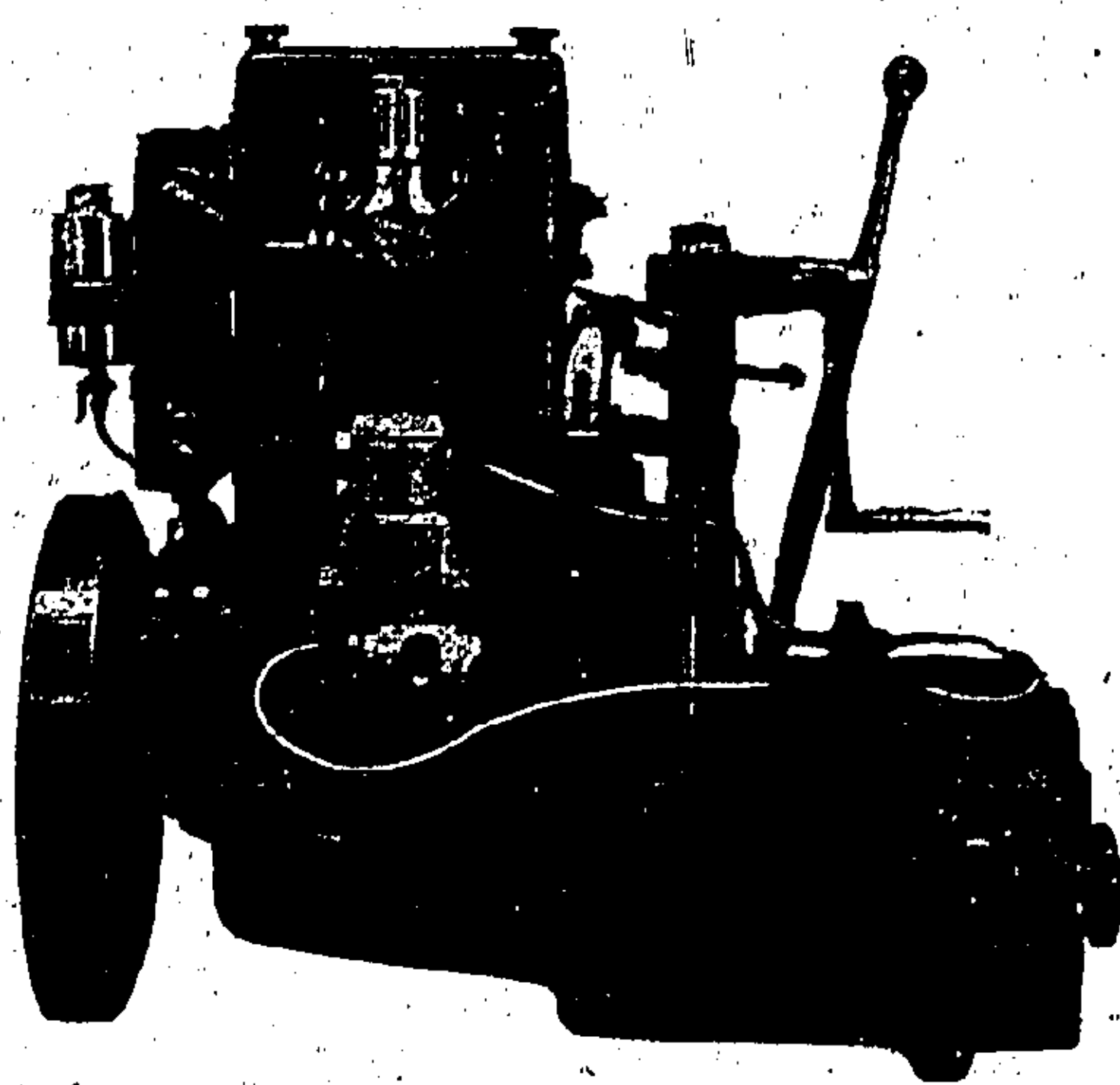
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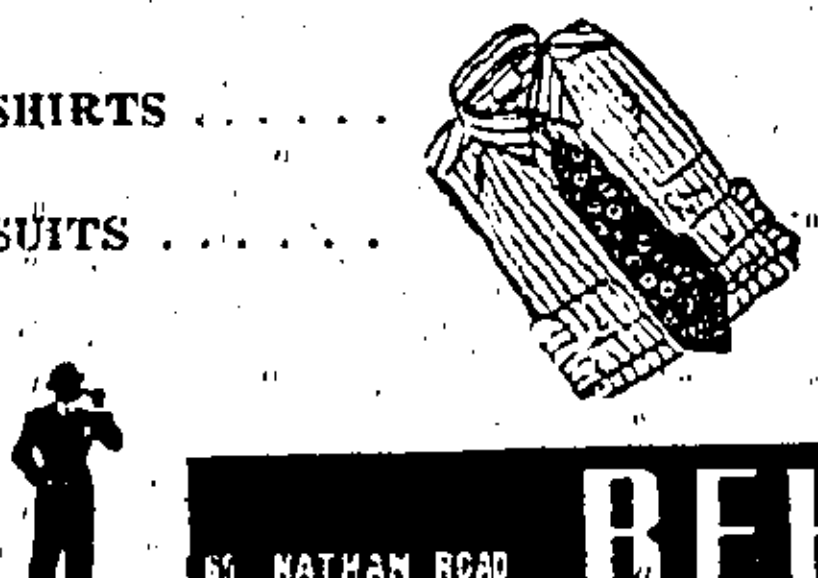
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Buddies between battles, but where a dame is involved there never was an Armistice! Victor McLaglen (right) and Brian Donlevy in 20th Century-Fox's comedy of the Legionnaires, "Battle of Broadway," which will be screened on the opening day of the new Cathay Theatre.

BRITONS TAKE LEAD IN FILMS

HOLLYWOOD (By Mail).—For the past year or so Hollywood movie producers have been sitting back, smug in their superiority as picture makers. A frame of mind brought by lack of competition from British pictures. There have been few worthwhile pictures from England since "The Private Life of Henry VIII" and "The 39 Steps."

The Britons, however, are coming back and hanging up records on the Americans' own playing field. The "ice" was broken by "Drums," effectively done in colour and starring Sami the "Elephant Boy" against authentic India frontier settings.

"THE CITADEL."—And now "The Citadel" starring Robert Donat and Rosalind is causing Hollywood producers to take stock of themselves. This picture is a box office winner. And that isn't all. Charles Laughton has formed his own producing company, Mayflower Pictures, Corp. and has released "The Beachcomber," through Paramount. Laughton plays the title role and his wife Elsa Lanchester, has the feminine lead. The picture is an adaptation of Somerset Maugham's "Vessel of Wrath."

M-G-M has snapped up another British success for American release, "Pygmalion," about which there is such concerted praise from the critics. It's from George Bernard Shaw's play of the same name and Leslie Howard has the top spot. Shaw himself helped with the screen play.

Laughton and his director, Erich

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY
ANNIVERSARIES and HOLIDAYS.
—Lateran Treaty, 1929. Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes (Year 1858).

CINEMAS.—(See Column 3 of this Page).
DANCES.—Central British School Dance for former pupils, in the School Hall, 9 p.m.; Hongkong Rugby Football Club Dinner Dance at Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

LECTURES.—First Aid, at St. John Ambulance Headquarters, 9:30 p.m.

MAILS.—(See Page 16).
MISCELLANEOUS.—Exhibition of Chinese Paintings at Kam Ling Restaurant, West Point, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

MOON.—Chinese XII Moon, 23rd Day, Last Quarter, 0.12 p.m.

SPORTS.—(See Page 2).

SUNRISE.—6:58 a.m. SUNSET.—6:18 p.m.

TIDES.—High at 02:45 and 14:55. Low at 07:36 and 21:57.

TO-MORROW

MISCELLANEOUS.—Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group, in the West Lounge, 9 p.m.

MOON.—Chinese XII Moon, 24th Day.

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Edward G. Robinson will star for Warner Bros. in "Footsteps in the Dark," the screen play of which is based on the Hungarian play by Ladislav Fodor.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

WOMEN'S CLUB TO HOLD FANCY BAZAAR

Among the events to take place, preceding Chinese New Year, will be a bazaar to be held on February 15 and 16 in St. Paul's Boys' School under the auspices of the Hong-kong Chinese Women's Club.

The proceeds will be devoted entirely to the relief of distress. The energetic members of the Club are busily engaged in preparation of the various stalls which have been planned by the Business Committee.

What should attract much attention is the Children's Stall under the capable management of Mrs. Pauline Yee and Mrs. Tam Wing-so, assisted by their Committee of helpers. All the dresses are being made by the Club members, also many of the woollies. Every garment is hand-made and there are sizes suitable for all ages.

"The Grand View Paradise"—a stall of special attraction, managed entirely by the artists of the Grand View Film Co.—should prove very popular.

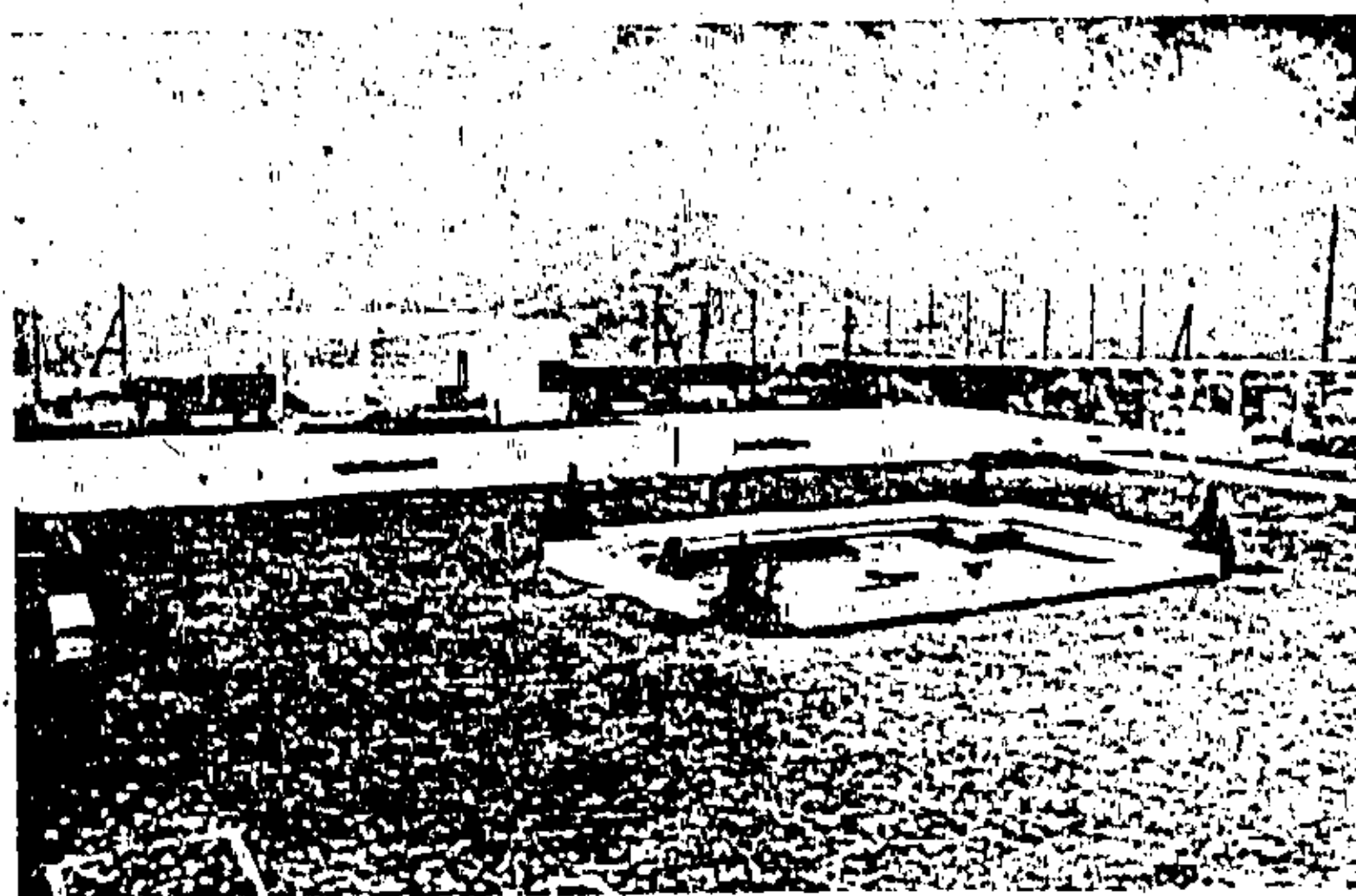
Fancy Goods—a stall of beautiful handmade articles of every description will be presided over by the well-known sisters Mrs. Wong Lik-chung, Mrs. Kwok Kim-ying, Mrs. William Shea, Mrs. Fung Tak-ming, Mrs. Chang Kik-sun and Mrs. Choy Meng-sun.

Games department will provide amusement for old and young and under the management of Messrs. Leung Kem chuen, Ho King-pai, Lee Chung-luen, Wong Kai-hong, Mrs. Chan Fung-chau and Miss T'so Lai-ki should prove a gigantic success.

Other stalls presided over by members and their committees will be:

Native Goods—Mrs. Ho Leung, Mrs. Ho Ki, Mrs. Ho Pak-ping, Mrs. Ho Cheuk, Mrs. Sydney Ng Quinn, Mrs. Ma Wal-man.

Sweets—Mrs. Arthur Woo and Mrs. Clara Hong Sing.



Scene in the grounds of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gellion in Macao.

Flowers and Fruit—Mrs. Y. K. Chow, Mrs. Wong Leung Yee-lin, Miss Chang Chit-man, Miss Bessie Ko, Miss P. I. Wan.

Cakes, etc.—Mrs. Tung Chue, Mrs. Harry Ching, Mrs. K. K. Lee, Mrs. S. Chung, Miss Mary Lee.

Raffles—Mrs. Violet Chan, Mrs. Ho Sai-lai, Miss Sue Ming, Mrs. Stanton, Miss Fearon, Mrs. Au Young, Mrs. Ho Wing, Mrs. C. S. Waung.

Refreshments—Mrs. Li Shu-fan, Mrs. C. C. Wu, Mrs. S. W. Tso, Mrs. Li Tze-fong, Miss Constance Ho, Mrs. George Ng.

The bazaar is under the direction of the President of the Club, Mrs. M. K. Lo, and Mrs. Lambert Gockchin, the acting Chairman, is responsible for the organisation and is sparing no effort to make it a success.

The opening ceremony will be performed by Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, February 15.

Mr. Bert J. Chen, manager of the Bellanca Motors, left yesterday in the s.s. Canton for Haiphong. He will motor to Kwelyang and fly from there to Chungking, after which he proposes to return to Hongkong by plane.

POLITICS IS WOMEN'S SPHERE

Australian Lady's Views

WASHINGTON—Mrs. Linda Littlejohn, a leading Australian feminist, who had tea at the White House recently, said Australia is ahead of the United States on these counts:

1. The Australian Government "recognizes the value of home life" by requiring employers to pay a minimum basic wage (now about \$18 a week) to all men 21 or over. It is based on the cost of living for a man, wife and one child, and is revised from time to time.

2. Throughout Australia, a \$20 bonus is given to each mother in the low income group on the birth of each child. In New South Wales, she is given a bonus (about \$25 a week) for each baby after the first. Birth control, however is not illegal and a number of private clinics are operated.

3. A mother is the equal guardian of her child with its father by law and can bequeath her guardianship.

4. Throughout Australia, a married woman has complete control of her income and can make contracts at her discretion.

"Politics is most definitely women's sphere to-day," Mrs. Littlejohn said. "Every single thing that touches homes has become a matter of government consideration—health, divorce, the cubic space in a house, and the way food is manufactured."

"There should be an equal number of women elected to legislatures, and an equal number of women with men in administrative jobs."

CHINESE TEACHERS WED

The marriage took place at the Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday, before Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, of Mr. Tang Chi-wan, teacher, of No. 19 Connaught Road West, and Miss Chan Lai-hang, teacher, of the same address.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:

Mr. Ernest William Coulson, accountant, residing at No. 3 St. John's Apartments, Garden Road, and Miss Janet Russell Brown Donaldson, of No. 1069, East 8th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C., who is en route to the Colony in the s.s. Empress of Japan.

Mr. Wu Do-thay, merchant, of No. 129 Queen's Road East, 2nd floor, and Miss Tai Kik-man, of No. 130 Fuk Wing Street, 1st floor, Shamshuipo.

Mr. Lau Kwong-chung, accountant, of the Hongkong and Yau-mat Ferry Co., Ltd., residing at No. 3 Babbington Path, and Miss So Shuk-yin, of the same address.

NEWSETTES

Mr. E. C. Luscombe, of the Police Department, will be 22 years old to-day.

Mr. E. I. Chater, Sanitary Inspector, celebrates his 37th birthday to-day.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, of the Attorney-General's Office, will be 43 years of age to-morrow.

The Hongkong Rugby Football Club will hold a Dance at the Peninsula Hotel Roof Garden to-night.

Col. C. R. Spear, Military Attache to H. M. Embassy in China, sailed for Haiphong in the s.s. Wosang.

Lady Northcote, accompanied by her eldest son, Mr. M. A. S. Northcote, will be present at the Kwantia races to-morrow afternoon.

Mr. B. Lombard, of Bayer Pharma Co., Shanghai, sailed for Haiphong in the s.s. Wosang, on Wednesday.

Mr. C. T. Carroll, representative of the Coco Cola Export Co., arrived here yesterday in the President Coolidge.

Mr. C. K. McClelland, of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co., was a passenger arriving here yesterday in the President Coolidge.

Mr. G. R. Sayer, who recently relinquished his appointment as Director of Education, will be 52 years old to-day.

A dance, which will be attended by former pupils of the school, will be held in the Hall of the Central British School in Kowloon to-night.

Mr. Anselm Chui, of the Bank of China, is sailing for Shanghai to-day on the s.s. "President Coolidge."

The Japanese flagship "Idzumi" which was anchored off the coast of Pakhoi has returned to Yokosuka, Japan.

H.E. the Governor will be present at the Fourth Concert of the Hongkong Chamber of Music in the Fung Ping Shan Library at 8 p.m. on Friday next, February 17.

Mr. C. H. Sprague, captain of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co., Shanghai, was a passenger in the s.s. Wosang, sailing for Haiphong on Wednesday.

Miss Ida Pruitt, the welfare worker, who is taking a keen interest in rural activities in China, left for Swatow on Wednesday in the s.s. Tak-sang.

Miss Lulu Wong, sister of the film actress, Miss Anna May Wong, leaves to-day in the s.s. President Coolidge for Hollywood to take up a contract.

On Wednesday evening, at 8.15 o'clock, H.E. the Governor will give an Official Dinner for members of the Executive and Legislative Councils and for Justices of the Peace.

H.E. the Governor and Lady Northcote, accompanied by Prof. F. E. Adcock and Mr. M. A. S. Northcote, will attend the Hongkong Club Ball at 9.30 p.m. on Friday next, February 17.

Passengers leaving Hongkong in the s.s. Tak-sang on Wednesday included Capt. E. Matthee and E. J. Bourne, for Tientsin; Mr. S. P. Tong and Mr. P. T. Tong, for Shanghai.

Prof. F. E. Adcock, O.B.E., F.B.A., Litt. D., M.A., professor of ancient history at King's College, Cambridge, will be a visitor to Hongkong next week. He will arrive at Government House on Thursday next.

The Recife cricketer and badminton player, E.A.R. Alves, son of Mr. C. M. Alves, left for Swatow on Wednesday on the s.s. Tak-sang to take up an appointment with Socony-Vacuum Oil Company.

H.E. the Governor and Lady Northcote, accompanied by Mr. M. A. S. Northcote, will return to Government House from Fanling Lodge on Monday. Sir Geoffrey and party will leave for Fanling Lodge next Saturday, February 18, to spend the week-end.

Mr. O. Pritchard, First Officer connected with Imperial Airways Ltd., and formerly acting in this capacity on the Bangkok to Hongkong route for his company, will leave the War Memorial Hospital to-day. Due to his past illness of some weeks, Mr. Pritchard will take several months leave of absence and expects to sail from the Colony to London via the s.s. Ranchi, departing February 18 at noon.

SATURDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Apple Sauce
Cereal
Pork Sausages & Waffles
Maple Syrup
Coffee

LUNCHEON

Clam Chowder
Pickled Beet Salad
Chicken Pie
Baked Turnips
String Beans
Stewed Tomatoes
Banana Fritters
Tea

DINNER

Ox Tail Soup
Stuffed Celery Salad
Irish Stew
Dumplings
Creamed Spinach
Brussels Sprouts
Popovers
Ice Cream & Cake
Coffee

Round About

A tall lady pranced up the apron of the ferry boat, a shiny, new straw hat with a tall bushy feather sat neatly on her reddish locks.

Seating herself at the stern of the ferry she opened a book and began to read.

A shrill cry from below in the water disturbed her and standing up she leaned over the rail to see the cause of the commotion.

Suddenly a brisk wind came down the bay, it lifted the lady's new bonnet from her head and carried it down to the dirty water. By a wave of her hand and a shriek, the coolies in the walla walla below were made aware of the pretty hat floating on the water near their boat.

One coolie grabbed his mooring pole which has a large hook attached to the end. Reaching into the water with this implement he retrieved the lady's hat, punching a hole in the crown at the same time. Then with much ceremony and ado he hoisted the soggy straw hat up to the lady standing on the ferry deck who reluctantly removed it from the pole and dropped him, a ten cent piece.

Returning to her seat the lady studied the shapeless dripping straw hat with its pathetic feather, and finally midway across the bay she tossed it overboard.

At the Hongkong Football Club Ground, Happy Valley, at 4 p.m. on Saturday next, the 18th instant, H.E. the Governor and Lady Northcote, will be present at the match between the Shanghai Rugby Union Football Club and the Hongkong Football Club.

Mr. Ching Li-chih, son of the late Mr. Ching Heng-yi, State Councillor, who died last year, has presented a letter to Chairman Lin Sen offering to donate his father's entire salaries and allowances from September, 1937, to September, 1938, to the Government. Chairman Lin, in his reply, highly commended his act.

Chinghai, the far-flung western province, has taken big strides in modernisation, Mr. Lou Li-hueh, member of the People's Political Council, informed the press at Chungking. Poppy-planting has been completely suppressed there, peace and order is well maintained, and communications are being rapidly developed.

Gen. Hsueh Yuch, new Chairman of the Hunan Provincial Government, issued stern orders yesterday that all bandits in west Hunan be exterminated before the end of March. Gen. Hsueh warned that the magistrates and military commanders who failed to do so would be court-martialled.

A five-month journey by boat, Chinese junk, military truck, and by foot ended for Mr. Chen Lee, 28, when he arrived at Yenan from Manila to join the Eighth Route Army to fight for China. Chen arrived after a circuitous journey which took him through Hongkong, Kwelyang and Chungking.



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For "Three" days — Thursday, Yesterday and Today — five different questions are being published daily. The answers will be found in the classified advertising page of the "Hongkong Daily Press" for those days. All you have to do is to name the advertisement which, in your opinion, contains the answer to the question. Competitors must submit their fifteen replies in one lot to the "Hongkong Daily Press," 319 Marina House, between 12 noon to-day and the senders of the first ten correct replies received will each be given a pair of tickets to see "3 Loves Has Nancy." Answers must be submitted in the space left vacant for that purpose. These together with the names of the winners will be published on Monday. Our decision is final. Members of the staff of the "Hongkong Daily Press" and their families are barred from the competition.



TO-DAY'S QUESTIONS

1. Which firm sells "Charmant" stockings?

Answer:

2. What kind of eggs keep one warm?

Answer:

3. Where can you buy Dutch flower bulbs?

Answer:

4. Which classified advertisement contains thirteen E's?

Answer:

5. Whose telephone number is 27972?

Answer:

(Clip out the above and return to the "Hongkong Daily Press" as replies contained on other paper means disqualification from the contest.)

Name of contestant (in block type):

Address:

APPEAL AGAINST CONVICTION ALLOWED

Court Orders Fine Be Refunded

SNATCHING CASE

In the Court of Appeal yesterday, the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, allowed the appeal brought by Wong Sze-nang against conviction on a charge of snatching a sum of \$500 from an Indian prison warder, Lal Khan, at Bonham Strand East on January 4, and the fine of \$250 with the alternative of three months' imprisonment imposed by the Magistrate, Mr. T. J. Houston.

Appellant was represented by Mr. M. A. da Silva, while Mr. J. B. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor, was for the Crown.

Mr. Silva said that all the evidence that was before the Magistrate was hearsay evidence, and was not admissible. There was an Indian watchman on duty outside the money-changer's shop and a policeman on traffic duty about 30 yards away, and it was important that no evidence had been brought to support the Crown's case that there had been a chase for about 400 yards, inasmuch as the complainant had stated that he had shouted in both Punjabi and Chinese that money had been snatched from his person.

In allowing the appeal, His Lordship said one would have expected complainant's story to be supported by the evidence of the accountant of the money-changer's shop as well as by some evidence from the watchman, who must have been aware of the hue and cry if the incident which formed the charge had taken place.

"The impression left in my mind," said the Chief Justice, "is that there was not a scintilla of evidence on which the Magistrate could have convicted appellant. The appeal must be allowed, the conviction quashed and the fine, if paid, to be refunded to appellant."

His Lordship also made an order for the \$500 to be repaid to appellant.

APPEALS DISALLOWED

The appeals brought in the Supreme Court yesterday by two men, Chan Tat-chau and Li Hung, returned life banishments, who had been sentenced to five years' and four years' hard labour respectively at the January Criminal Sessions, were disallowed.

The Chief Justice sat with Mr. Justice J. A. Fraser in the second appeal, while Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell and Mr. Justice Fraser heard the first appeal.

In both cases, appellants gave as their reason for returning to the Colony in defiance of their deportation order, the fact that they had been forced to do so by the advent of Japanese troops in Chinese territory across the border.

COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Nineteen cases of tuberculosis were notified to the local health authorities on Thursday in addition to five cases of chicken-pox, four cases each of diphtheria, enteric fever and measles, three cases of dysentery, two cases of cerebro-spinal fever and one case of small-pox.

NEW FORD CARS

The Kowloon Show Rooms of Messrs. Wallace Harper and Co., Ltd., in Nathan Road, will to-day and to-morrow house a Special Display of New Ford Products. The show rooms will be open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

New cars that will be on display include the 110 H.P. "Lincoln Zephyr," the "Mercury" (85 H.P.), the "V-8 Deluxe" (85 H.P.), the "V-8 Standard" (60 H.P.), the "Prefect" (10 H.P.), and the "Baby" (8 H.P.).

MARCAL CASE HEARING

Moneylender Gives Evidence

The hearing of the case in which Fausto Leonard Marcal, Portuguese broker, is charged with receiving four boxes of silk knowing same to have been stolen or unlawfully obtained from the Britannia Silk Store, was continued before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Gurbux Singh, registered moneylender, testified that on January 13 Marcal told him that he wanted a loan of \$3,000 and when asked what security he could offer, showed some samples of silk saying that the market price was \$8 a yard.

Witness told Marcal that he was willing to grant a loan based on \$5 per yard, which was agreed. A promissory note for \$1,985.50 was drawn up.

In addition to the promissory note, a certificate from Marcal stating that the goods were his, was required by the witness after he had been advised to obtain same by his brother.

Cross-examined, witness said that he knew Marcal had an office in French Bank Buildings. He was not shown any invoices nor shipment samples.

The hearing was adjourned to this morning.

SOLDIER FINED FOR DRIVING

A joy ride in a motor-bus on January 20 had a sequel at the Kowloon Court yesterday when Pte. Hugh Kirkpatrick, of Nanking Barracks, appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen on summonses for driving a motor-bus without a licence and driving without the permission of the owner.

Traffic Sub-Inspector told the Court that at 10.30 a.m. on January 20, the bus driver left the bus at the terminus outside the barracks. Defendant got into the bus and drove it to near Yen Chow Street in Lai Chi Kok Road.

Kirkpatrick, who is a licensed driver of military vehicles, told the Magistrate he had no other intention in boarding the bus than to see whether he could drive it. A fine of \$20 was imposed.

VILLAGE ROBBERY

Hau Kam-shing, 26, married woman, of Ho Sheung Heung Village, has reported to the police that about 1 a.m. yesterday, she was awakened by a noise from the roof, and saw five men climbing in, two armed with revolvers and one with a dagger.

She was bound with wire and gagged. The men escaped with money, jewellery and clothing to the value of \$1,968.

ANOTHER REMAND

A remand of another week was granted by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy yesterday when Li Ping-chun, 22, appeared charged with wounding and causing grievous bodily harm to Hyoshi Sagara with intent to murder.

Det.-Insp. Darkin said the man was still in the Queen Mary Hospital.

SNATCHER GETS PRISON AND CANE

Convicted on a charge of larceny from person, it being alleged that he had snatched a pair of earrings, valued at \$12, from a woman named Cheung Chau, 47, in Pakhoi Street, near Chi Wo Street, on February 2, a man named Lei Tong, 22, was sentenced by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday to six months' imprisonment with hard labour and 12 strokes of the cane.

\$75,000 GIFTS TO TERRITORIALS

Sports Fund Income Assured

Mr. Hore-Belisha announced in a speech at Acton, W., recently, that two anonymous gifts totalling \$25,000 had been received for the recently inaugurated Territorial Army sports fund. There had also been other donations.

The War Minister, who was opening the new headquarters of the 52nd Anti-Aircraft Brigade, R.A., also announced that the "philanthropic donor" of the £50,000 with which the fund was started was Viscount Nuffield, who made it a condition that a further £25,000 was forthcoming.

"The fund is now assured of a permanent income," said Mr. Hore-Belisha, "and Sir Walter Kirke, the Director-General of the Territorial Army, who conceived the idea and mentioned it to Lord Nuffield, may feel satisfied that he has rendered yet one more service to the Territorial Army."

TO MAKE GUNS

Mr. Hore-Belisha also announced that Lord Nuffield is to make anti-aircraft guns to "supplement the 3.7in type."

Referring to London's defences, Mr. Hore-Belisha said: "You have read, doubtless, as I have, imaginative reports that the number of effective guns which we put into action for the defence of London during the emergency was according to one report 50 and to another 100."

"I am now addressing only one of the brigades which covered London. Your brigade deployed to various stations, including Hyde Park—22 guns, of which eight were 3.7in. Of the 22 guns you deployed 20 were completely effective for action and two arrived as an ad hoc provision from the arsenal without a predictor, which would have been supplied in due course."

"I think I should mention these facts, because, while I cannot reveal how many guns we could have put into action as a whole, no harm will be done if I state the achievement of one particular unit."

AIR DISASTER NEAR MILAN

MILAN Feb. 10 (T/Ocean).—Four persons were killed during an air disaster which occurred in the vicinity of this city yesterday.

A three-engined military plane engaged in a practice flight crashed on to the roof of a factory at Sesto San Giovanni. The pilot, a major of the Italian air force, and a non-commissioned officer accompanying him on the flight were killed. Furthermore two workers of the factory were fatally injured when the plane crashed in flames.

FASCIST GRAND COUNCIL MEETING

ROME, Feb. 10 (Reuter).—The Fascist Grand Council meets at 10 p.m. to-morrow for the second time within a week, but it is unlikely that foreign affairs will take up much time, as it is considered that these were exhaustively covered at the last meeting.

There is no doubt, however, that the Spanish question, particularly relating to Minora, will be discussed.

No sensational communique is expected.

TRAFFIC MISHAP

Three cars were involved in a smash opposite the Hongkong entrance to the Star Ferry in the early hours of yesterday morning. A small car containing three Europeans turned from Ice House Street into Connaught Road and crashed into cars parked side by side in front of the O.S.K. premises. No person was injured.

VOLUNTEER ORDERS

(Orders by Lt.-Col. H.B. Rose, M.C. Commandant, Hongkong Volunteer D.C.)

RIFLE TABLE A—PEAK RANGE Sunday, February 12, Peak Range, 9 a.m. Rifle Table A. Recruits of the following units who have not fired will attend.

Machine Gun Troop, Armoured Car Section, No. 1 M.G. 1 Company, No. 2 M.G. Company, and R.O.D.C. Dress—Optional.

Range Officer—2 Lt. E. M. Bryden.

M.G. PART II—STONECUTTERS Sunday, February 12, Stonecutters. Launch leaves Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. and Kowloon Police Pier at 8.45 a.m. Members of the following units will attend:—Nos. 1 and 3 M.G. Company (those detailed). Dress—Optional.

Range Officer—Captain E. G. Stewart.

QUALIFICATIONS—W.T. BADGES The following members qualified as 1st Class Machine Gunners are entitled to wear the M.G. Badges (without wreath).

No. 4 M.G. Company
No. 13 Platoon—L/Cpl. K. W. Fan, Pte. J. T. Chan, Pte. M. K. Chan, L/Cpl. K. H. Leung, Ptes. S. Wong, K. K. Chan, W. C. Mok, C. T. Mok, P. Wong, C. L. Fung, S. W. Tang, S. K. Luk, Y. K. Ho, C. T. Li, S. M. Wong, T. H. Tang, S. H. Wong, M. T. Shi, and S. B. Au.

No. 14 Platoon—L/Cpl. K. T. Goh, Ptes. K. L. Kwok, Y. O. Kwok, P. C. Lok, J. Chan, Y. M. Wong, L/Cpl. H. S. Lo, Ptes. H. T. Mak, K. H. Goh, Y. K. So, Y. S. Fung, H. L. Pau, S. L. Li, L/Cpl. W. Y. Leung, Ptes. H. C. Chan, H. Y. Chan, C. F. Yeung, M. Wong, L/Cpl. S. K. Wong, Ptes. K. C. Cheuk, Y. Chow, I. T. Ip, and S. C. Tang.

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No. 5 M.G. Company
C.S.M. H. M. Britto, L/Sgt. J. D. Remedios, Cpl. J. T. P. Souza, Cpl. R. U. Danenberg, Cpl. C. E. Soares, Ptes. B. B. Baleros, F. J. Coliaco, J. J. Remedios, V. A. V. Ribeiro, R. M. V. Ribeiro, L. G. D'Almada Remedios, E. V. Alves, A. F. Carmo, J. R. Olais, C. N. da Silva, R. S. Abiong, A. M. Ozerio, A. E. V. Ribeiro, R. C. Baptista, L. M. Remedios, Sgt. V. M. Nunes, Cpl. M. M. de V. Soares, Cpl. G. A. Pinna, L/Cpl. L. G. Pinna, Ptes. L. A. Sequeira, C. Mackintosh, J. J. Guiterres, F. M. Tavares, G. V. Silva, C. P. Basto, F. J. Santos, A. E. Gomes, A. A. Remedios, G. M. Ozerio and A. R. Cruz.

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PARADES

1st Battery
Right Section: Feb. 16, Belchers, 3.45 p.m. Battery drill. Dress—S.D. caps, overalls and gun platform shoes.

Feb. 24-26, Pakshawan camp. Details later.
Left Section: Feb. 17, Belchers, 5.45 p.m. Battery drill. Dress—S.D. caps, overalls and gun platform shoes.

March 3-5, Pakshawan camp. Details later.
Signal Section: Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.30 p.m.

2nd Battery
Feb. 15, H.M.S. Tamar, 5.30 p.m. Lecture by Major J. M. Smith on "Fire control."

Engineer Company
D.E.L. Section: Feb. 13, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Lewis gun training and Dinner Committee meeting.

Feb. 16, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Musketry. Feb. 24-26 and March 3-5, Pakshawan camp.

Lyon Light Section: Feb. 13, H.Q. 5.45 p.m. Musketry.
Feb. 16, H.Q. 5.45 p.m. Musketry. Corps Signals

Feb. 14, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Signal instruction.

COMMITTED TO STAND HIS TRIAL

Appearing before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday, charged with the possession of an automatic pistol and 47 rounds of ammunition, Cheng Chol, 47, unemployed, was committed to stand trial at the Criminal Sessions.

Detective Inspector W. N. Darkin prosecuted.

The defendant was arrested by Detective-Sergeant Hutchinson who, together with a party of police, raided No. 23 Stone Nullah Lane in the afternoon of February 2. The pistol and the ammunition, which were wrapped in a piece of paper, were found beside the defendant who was smoking opium when the police arrived.

UNLICENSED REVOLVER

Convicted on a charge of possession of one revolver, having no licence from the Commissioner of Police, permitting such possession, a man named Chung Yau, 42, was fined \$10, at the Kowloon Court yesterday by Mr. E. Elmsworth.

The revolver was found when police searched junk No. 1974H, of which defendant is master, at Yaumatei Typhoon Shelter on February 8.

Machine Gun Troop
Feb. 12, See para. 1 above.
Feb. 14, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. E.G.D. Use of instruments.
Feb. 12, See para. 1 above.
Feb. 14, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Revolver training.

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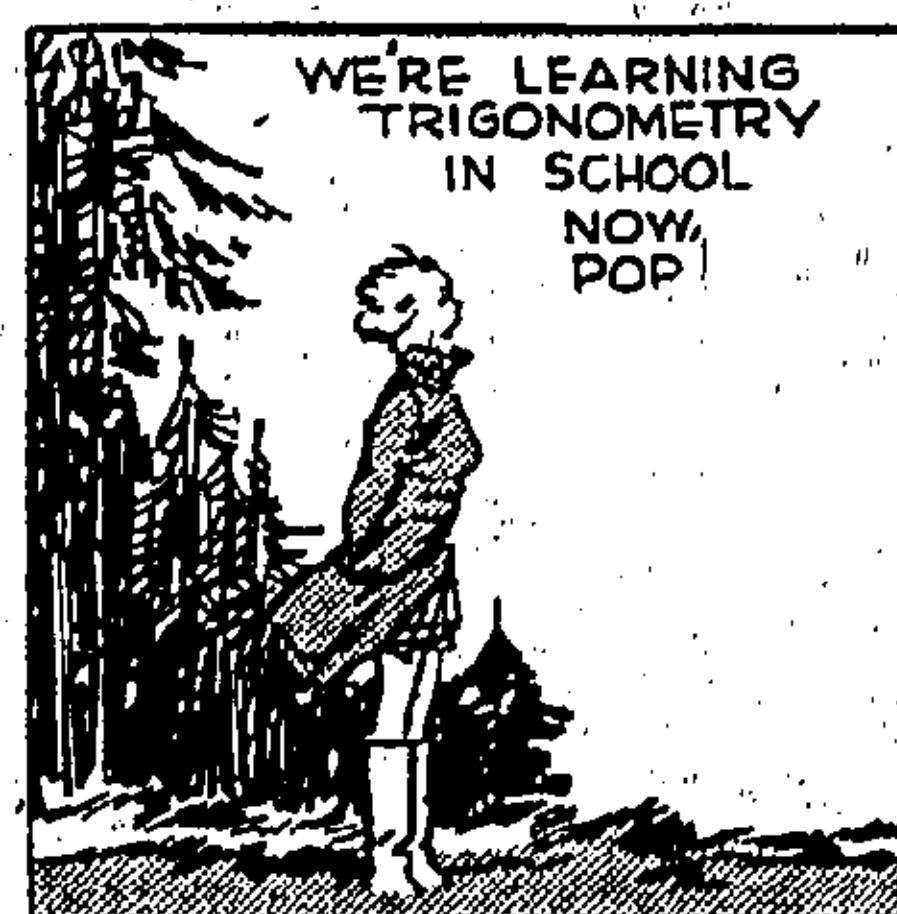
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Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, on Saturday, the 25th February 1939, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1938.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday the 13th February to Saturday the 25th February 1939 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 6th Feb., 1939.

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NOTICE TO

SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FORTY-FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. on Friday, the 24th February, 1939, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1938.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday, the 17th February, 1939, to Friday, the 24th February, 1939, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,

C. M. MANNERS,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 30th Jan., 1939.

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SUPREME COURT
APPLICATION

Before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, in the Supreme Court yesterday, an application was made by the Standard Press, Ltd. for extension of time to file a return of allotment of shares.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo, instructed by Mr. M. A. da Silva, appeared for the Standard Press.

The application was granted. His Lordship warning the petitioning firm to heed the advice of their solicitors in future and commenting that it would not be unjust to say that a group of gentlemen had formed a company without fulfilling the necessary statutory obligations.

MARINE COURT

For making fast to the s.s. Behar in the Central Fairway, Kwok So, 34, mistress of boat No. 407V was fined \$10 at the Marine Court yesterday. Mr. A. Tate prosecuted.

AIR RAID DURING
NEGOTIATIONS

MARSEILLES, Feb. 10 (Reuters).—H.M.S. Devonshire arrived to-day with 450 refugees on board who alleged that fighting broke out during negotiations for the handing over of Minorca to Franco. Italian war planes are reported to have bombed the island during the negotiations aboard the Devonshire between a representative of Franco and the Governor of the Island.

The Nationalist emissary on board the Devonshire was struck by splinters from anti-aircraft shells. He has arranged for an immediate investigation by the Nationalist authorities into the cause of the raid. The Devonshire sustained no damage and did not reply to the raiders.

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NO SURRENDER

CHINA HAS DECIDED to fight on. Under no circumstances will she consider surrendering to Japan or accepting terms which would injure her honour or her sovereignty. There is no room for half-way compromise and submission to Japan will never be countenanced by the Chinese people.

THERE IS EVERY SIGN that Tokyo would like to terminate the present Sino-Japanese hostilities forthwith if possible, because both the Japanese Government and the Japanese militarists realize that they have bitten off far more than they can chew. They realize that their strength is waning and that, in the event of their being attacked by an enemy more powerful than China, they may not be able to meet the test. They miserably under-estimated the strength of united China and never for a moment did they believe that China would put up the determined resistance which she is now showing.

ACCORDING to Chinese official circles in Chungking, China will never accept Japan's terms, which Tokyo will be sure to insist should be victor's terms; similarly, it is hardly likely that terms presented by China would be acceptable to Japan. Therefore, there can be no direct peace negotiations between the two countries; only an international conference on the Far East, in the nature of a second Washington Conference, would be likely to produce a settlement of the present undeclared war. Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Minister of Foreign Affairs, urges the Powers to take concrete steps to bring about a settlement by proposing formally to Tokyo, at least the procedure of settlement, if not the very terms which are deemed fair and equitable in a solution of the Far Eastern question.

CHUNGKING officials are informed that the Japanese are withdrawing their forces from the Yangtze and from South China but they are not unduly optimistic on this account. Indeed, such optimism would be entirely unwarranted. Whether these are Japan's intentions or not, it is impossible for the present to say but it is hardly likely that the Tokyo High Command would consider withdrawal from Chinese territory at the very moment that their troops are landing on the island of Hainan, a fact which may eventually lead to serious differences with the French Government, who already have had something to say regarding the matter and who doubtless will have more to say if the Japanese decide to seize the island altogether.

THE OUTCOME of the Sino-Japanese war depend largely on future developments in Europe. If war breaks out in Europe, with Great Britain and France emerging victors, it is more than likely that China will adopt the offensive and prosecute her war of resistance to a victorious conclusion. On the other hand, if peace by compromise and concession continues in Europe, international pressure may be brought to bear both on China and Japan to end their hostilities by negotiation.

ACTIVE ASSISTANCE from the Democratic Powers to China in the present war has naturally enhanced the prestige of those countries in the eyes of the Chinese people who are firm in the belief that the friendly Powers will never let her down. To those Powers she looked in the time of her need and to those Powers she will continue to look in embarking upon her programme of reconstruction.

MEANWHILE, all of Tokyo's hopes of China's early surrender must be sadly dashed.

POPULACE IN CONFUSION

LE PERTHUS, Feb. 10 (Reuters).—The arrival of the Insurgent troops caused much confusion among the populace. All houses on the Spanish side of the main street suddenly emptied and crowds of inmates, with their arms full of their household belongings, dashed across to the French side of the road. Shortly afterwards the street was completely deserted except for French soldiers posted every fifty yards.

CANDID CAMERA AT MACAO



PHOTOGRAPH taken at the Macao Race Meeting last Sunday. (Photo by Leica).

Hello & Goodbye

— BY A.W. HYER —

We ran up an all yellow pennant during the week due to our quarantining with a cold, therefore, we offer apologies for skipping the Thursday strip.

Emerging from the sneezes and sniffles we find quite a few of the commercial transports guilty of tardiness which is blamed on the weather. Storms, supplying big waves and high winds are playing about outside our harbour to the north and south.

Air France

THE VILLE DE HANOI came into Kaitak 12.40 p.m. one day late. However, this was due to the twenty-four hour late connection of Eurasia Aviation Corporation from Chungking. They are having some bad winter weather up there in North China.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Mackie arrived from a visit in Indo-China and were greeted by the Bishop of Victoria whose guests they will be during their stay in the Colony.

Two other "gay visitors" to Hong Kong are Mr. and Mrs. L. Tucker, of the World Students Christian Federation, leaving via the President Coolidge to-night at 8 o'clock for Shanghai. Mrs. Tucker attired in a wine coloured wool suit with a matching pill box hat was an extremely chic air traveller.

A week of business visiting brings Mr. E. Hiatte to Hong Kong, then he will return to Shanghai. This engineer puts forth all his talents for Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. He reported the trip was very fine!

Sea Dragon

OVER THERE in Bailey's Shipbuilding yard sits the Sea Dragon. Mr. Richard Halliburton's junk of many colours. This junk and crew which set sail for San Francisco last Saturday and were forced to return to port Thursday midnight consider the past six days a "shakedown cruise." They had clam moonlight nights, and met gales and high seas, everyone was sea-sick the first day out, and the discovery was made regarding necessary corrections in the junk's keel design. But with much spirit and enthusiasm all hands are now

AIRPORT MOVEMENTS

The Pan American Airways China Clipper has been delayed another day on her flight to Hong Kong from San Francisco. The flying boat is now reported to be arriving Monday, noon at Kaitak.

The return flight, therefore, will leave Hong Kong, Tuesday 8.30 a.m. The Ville de Hanoi, Air France plane from Hanoi, arrived yesterday (Friday) 12.40 p.m. The delay of one day was due to the Eurasia Aviation Corporation plane, which was 24 hours late from Chungking, holding up the connection.

The return flight to Hanoi departed per schedule this morning (Saturday) at 6.30 o'clock. The planes of Imperial Airways are due in the Colony this afternoon (Saturday) between three and four o'clock with mail and passengers from all ports.

BRITISH CRUISER WITH
REFUGEES

LONDON, Feb. 10 (Reuters).—The cruiser Devonshire (9,750 tons) left Minorca yesterday with 450 refugees on board.

The Devonshire, it was revealed here yesterday, conveyed to Minorca the Nationalist Military Commander of Majorca, Col. San Luis. The British Government's role in the matter, it was explained by official circles here, was confined to providing transport for Col. San Luis at the request of the Nationalist authorities. It is not known whether Col. San Luis left Minorca on board the Devonshire.

NEWS FROM
HOME OF
H.K. PEOPLE

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The death of Mr. Edward Osborne at Hythe, Kent, aged 78, which has just occurred, removes another Hong Kong landmark. First as assistant in the P. & O. Office, then for many years secretary of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. and originator of the Star Ferry service, Mr. Osborne did good work for the mercantile and shipping world.

Socially, he and his wife (the "little Mother" of the P. & O. Mess at Mountain View) were universally loved and respected. After retiring to Hythe, Mr. Osborne became a leader in civic affairs as Justice of the Peace and was, for some time, Mayor. Much sympathy goes out to his widow and family in their bereavement.

From Chorleywood to South Kensington at Christmas was revealed another group of Hong Kong folk in that garden suburb of London. Mr. E.D.C. Wolfe, C.M.G., the ex-Captain Superintendent of Police in Hong Kong, and his wife have settled in a flat there, which is a veritable suntrap in winter and near to them Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ram, Mr. and Mrs. A. Denison and their daughter, Lady Shenton, are living. As already announced, the latter's charming daughter, Yvonne, is engaged to Mr. C. E. Sanford Barclay, stepson of Sir Robert G. Vansittart, member of the Cabinet and Diplomatic Adviser to the British Government. The wedding is to take place in the near future.

Sir William Shenton has been invited by the sitting member and the Conservative Party to contest Greenwich at the next General Election. The constituency is one of the largest in the Kingdom and Sir William's legal training, combined with a wide knowledge of Far Eastern affairs, should prove very valuable to the Government if (as we hope) he is elected.

Whilst visiting Sir William and Lady Shenton at their house in The Boltons, London, the writer of these notes met Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Trautman and learnt with regret that Mr. Trautman recently lost the sight of one eye through a shooting accident in Berkshire.

Mrs. Gordon Carter, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Dodwell, of Hong Kong, has received the M.B.E. She is a notable woman in Watford, West Hertfordshire, and takes a very active part in all good works.

Hongkong Children's Rescue Homes are to be provided in Hong Kong, thanks to the joint action of the Government, the Bishop and Miss Picton-Turberville, signatories to the minority report of the Mul-Tsai Commission. Miss Phyllis Harrop, Lady Assistant in the Secretariat of Chinese Affairs, reports there is a great need for such Homes and Miss Picton-Turberville is actively endeavouring to raise funds in England.

The unique collection of Chinese and Persian objects of art belonging to Mr. George Eumorfopoulos, who recently threw open his house on Chelsea Embankment to public view, for a small fee, drew a very large number of visitors, interested in Chinese art with resulting benefit to the International Students' Relief Fund for Chinese Universities.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain's umbrella is taking the place of the olive branch here as a peace symbol. Since the Prime Minister's visit to Italy, the Romans have named him "Europe's lifebuoy."

The elder daughter of the late Mr. H. A. Cartwright has recently been appointed to the Home Office by the Civil Service Commissioners to act as one of H.M. Inspectors of Factories. The younger daughter is a third-year medical student at Edinburgh University.

There was about 1/7th of an inch of rain on Jan. 30 between 12.30 a.m. and 5.30 a.m. and about the same hours on Feb. 1, which amounts to .02 of an inch. Since then there was only slight drizzles on Feb. 8. The total amount of rainfall during January was 1.1 inches.

FUTURE OF SINO-
JAPANESE WAR
Stiffening Resistance
In China

(Continued from Yesterday)

Below we publish a continuation of the address on "The future of the Sino-Japanese war; can Japan win in China?" which was delivered by Dr. S. Lautenschlager at the weekly tiffin of the Hongkong Y's Men's Club at the St. Francis Hotel on Thursday.

The speaker said:—

After eighteen months of war, China is still paying all her financial obligations. Her finance did not collapse with the fall of Hankow and Canton. China is still able to get loans, which Japan is not able to do. In fact, China has been able to get loans since the fall of Hankow, which she unfortunately was not able to get before. It is reported that China has recently received or will receive in the near future about U.S. \$75,000,000 from America and England, and that another loan, so large that an act of Parliament would be required, is being considered in England.

China's friends, the U.S.A., France and Great Britain, control the World's gold. Soviet Russia's production of gold has made such strides that to-day she has a larger gold reserve than the totalitarian states combined, including Japan.

Although she controls the China seas, Japan's trade has suffered more than China's in comparison. Her exports have suffered from the boycotts and much of her imports are war materials and thus unproductive. Japan admits now that she has lost over 500,000 soldiers in China. Her national debt has increased over Yen 7,000,000,000, which is huge compared to China's increased debt. In Feb. 1938, Japan voted Yen 4,300,000,000 for the China incident for 1938. In August, due to the threat from Russia, she had to raise another war loan of Yen 3,500,000,000. The summer floods of 1938 cost her Yen 420,000,000. Her budget for 1939 is £353,000,000 which is £259,000,000 more than in 1938. It is reported that the new budget to be presented in February will exceed 8 billion Yen of which Yen 5,400,000,000

will be for the military. This is Yen 1,600,000,000 more than that of the previous year.

Japan's economic machine must stand the strain of a double war-front, the war with China and a possible war with Russia. She needs nearly half a million troops to keep down the unwilling people of Korea and Manchuria, a population almost equal to her own. To these she now has to add another million troops to subdue what she has unsuccessfully occupied in China.

China's potential resources are much greater than those of Japan. Guerrilla warfare and the "scorched earth" policy will, however, render these unprofitable for Japan in "occupied areas." In free China development will go on encouraged instead of hampered by the war.

When the Japanese army marched into Canton, they found to their disappointment a forsaken and burnt-out city. Instead of profits, a vast expense. Wherever the Japanese come into control, the economic basis for profit has already been destroyed.

GUERRILLAS IN CONTROL

Even now in the "occupied" territory of North and Central China, the Japanese military only hold the great cities and the trunk lines of communication. Ten miles from the railways, guerrillas are in control. The Japanese military dare not venture into these areas except in great numbers. The Japanese invasion, guerrilla warfare, the burning of hundreds of villages as reprisals, floods caused by nature and by man and the "scorched earth" policy has turned "occupied" China into vast famine districts.

It will likely be a long time before the would-be conquerors will be able to consolidate, reconstruct and make profits out of the famine areas "their so-called 'friendly co-operation' has created. When the fall of Hankow and Canton did not bring China to her knees, Japan probably lost her chance of making a peace, profitable to herself, with China.

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PRIZE GIVING AT V.N. AND
M. SCHOOL

The presentation of scholarships and prizes of Vernacular Normal and Middle School took place yesterday at 11 a.m. in the school premises.

Among those present were: Mr. C. G. Solis, Mr. W. Kay, Mr. Y. P. Lau, Professor Hsu Ti-shan, Professor L. Forster, Mr. Fung Ping-wah, and Kwong Chi-ming.

The prizes and certificates were distributed by Mr. C. G. Solis, M.A., the Director of Education, who delivered a short speech, congratulating the students on the past year's achievements, particularly the Chinese literary students for whom the school was originally administered.

He also congratulated the prize winners and encouraged those who did not win any prizes, urging them to make the most of the opportunities they now had, for such opportunities would not occur again.

He also said that life was a fine thing and that it was up to the students to make it useful in a way, when they will result in a success of life which lies before them.

THE PRIZES

The prize list included the following:—
Matriculation Certificates:—Lau Fat-yip, Li Sheung-ngai, Fung Kai-tak.

School Certificates (Education Department):—Fung Kai-lai, Woo Kwok-yip, Wong Chi-kin, Lu Yeung Yik-tsun, Leung Pui-cho, Chan Kung-kong, Mok Cheong-toon.

Formal Certificates:—Tang Tung-chuen, Chan Koon-kau, Wong Nai-chow, Chan Kai-man, Li Chak-king, Cheung Fung-ho.
Fung Ping Shan Scholarship:—Li Lai-bun, Chan Fung-leung, Lau Fat-ip, Fung Kai-wai, Au Fook-wing, Au Hoo-kee.

Rugby Broadcast

A Broadcast will be given on to-day's rugby game between the Colony and All-Malaya. To assist those who will be unable to attend and will be following play over the wireless, a plan of the field of play divided into squares has been issued by the Broadcasting Committee Officials.

CLUB HOUSE

Uncovered Stand	2	1	Covered Stand
	4	3	
	6	5	
	8	7	

DEATH OF HIS HOLINESS POPE PIUS XI

Preparations Being Made For Lying-In-State

PARIS, Feb. 10 (Reuter).—A message received from the Vatican City reports that His Holiness Pope Pius XI died at 4.31 a.m. (G.M.T.).

His Holiness had been ill for the past few days of cardiac asthma and bronchial pneumonia, to which he eventually succumbed.

Cardinal Schuster, Archbishop of Milan, who is mentioned as his successor, arrived in Rome yesterday.

DAILY MASSES

VATICAN CITY, February 10 (Reuter).—Preparations for the lying-in-state of the late Pope Pius XI which will probably begin on Saturday are being made in one of the chapels of St. Peter's. During nine successive days the public will be admitted to the past the coffin while from 6 a.m. till noon each day masses for the repose of the soul of the deceased will be said at all the altars of the Basilica.

At end of this period the Pope will be buried in St. Peter's next to the grave of Pius the tenth.

EFFECT OF DEATH

ROME, February 10 (Reuter).—Evidence of the deep impression which His Holiness Pope Pius XI made in Rome is seen in the effect of his death in the capital.

The passing of the "handmaid of God," as the Italians call the Pope, is the one subject of conversation everywhere.

Flags are flown at half-mast at all Government and public buildings.

Pope Was A Statesman, Scholar, Man Of God

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But in 1918 the life of study and pursuit of scholarly research was to be broken in on for three strenuous years of statesmanship. In answer to a request of the Polish Bishops for some high official to advise them on the whole question of religious restoration in Poland, Pope Benedict XV sent Achilles Ratti.

In his varied journeys through Poland, Monsie Ratti had done nothing more than help to restore the sees of Riga, which had lapsed in the sixteenth century, of Janow and Kamieniec, besides the long-vacant sees of Minsk, Vilna and Lublin. If his work in this sphere were summed up in the consecration of six bishops in six months the Apostolic Visitor would have justified his mission. Yet this task was only a minor portion of the labour entrusted to him. A papal nuncio has to be a diplomat representing, it may be, a whole diplomatic corps.

In those days of so many delicate problems in Poland, one can imagine what an advantage it was to have in the position a man with the knowledge of Europe and European culture, possessed by

Monsie Ratti, who also spoke fluently the principal languages.

On August 14, 1920, the Bolshevik armies began the attack on Warsaw. Within was the Nuncio, fully alive to the words of the French adviser, General Weygand, who answers his query as to the possible issue: "The rest remains with your good prayer." The good prayers prevailed and the victory of the Poles at the battle of the Niemen, saw the treaty of Riga signed. Monsie Ratti had done his work, only to find himself the successor of one of the greatest Italian bishops of the age, Cardinal Ferrari. He did not occupy the See of Milan long—June 13, 1921 to February 8, 1922.

NEVER COME BACK

The death of Pope Benedict XV was unexpected. Cardinal Ratti set out for the conclave in Rome. Somehow there was a feeling in Milan that he would never come back. Those who knew Cardinal Ratti could not but re-echo the words of Cardinal Gasquet: "The Archbishop of Milan... immense ability... a marvellously hard worker... the greatest ecclesiastical personage in Italy."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Mass Murder By Japanese At Kweiyang

\$25,000,000 LOSS RECORDED

Losses, to the extent of some \$25,000,000, are reported as a result of the terrible bombing to which the city of Kweiyang, capital of Kweichow Province, by Japanese air raiders on February 4. A few details were published in the "Hongkong Daily Press" at the time but the following are extra particulars.

Eighteen planes suddenly appeared over the city and began indiscriminately to shower their deadly cargo, more than 120 bombs, including many of an incendiary nature, being dropped in all.

In all, there were more than 1,250 fatal casualties and some 3,000 persons received wounds or were thrown homeless.

The principal business centre of the city was entirely wiped out and, as stated, the losses were estimated to be in excess of \$25,000,000 Chinese National currency.

Eye-witnesses to the terrible outrage included Dr. Y. T. Tsui, member of the Kweichow Provincial Government and former President of Tsinghua College, who was until recently Vice-Minister of Industries; Dr. C. U. Lee, president of the National Kweichow University; and Messrs. H. C. Chang and Charles Wu.

NOVEL Y.M.C.A. CHIT CHASE

Event Arranged For February 19

A Chit Chase, open to all Europeans in the Colony, at an entry fee of 50 cents, is announced by the Hon. Secretary of the European Y.M.C.A. Hiking Club, the chase to commence at 10 a.m. on Sunday, February 19, and to continue until all such runners as are so able succeed in running the course.

Ordinarily, the chase would be dubbed "a paper chase," but the "Y" Hiking Club are introducing a novel form of chase where a course of about five miles will be followed that will be marked with torn scraps of demand orders.

Silver trophies are being offered for first, second and third places, and there will be flags to pick at certain points along the trail that will be exchangeable for minor presents.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING

(Continued from Page 2)

The entire gallop was an impressive performance and gained for the "Cire" stable a large number of new supporters. Incidentally, all the three more prominent contenders for the Blue Riband of the meeting are mares, viz., Rose Elect, Navylight and Hyndford Bridge.

OTHER PROBABLE DERBY STARTERS

After the three mentioned above, Lilliber and Conquering Time come next in my estimation. Both these animals are of quite good breed and capable of displacing one of the favourites for the minor position. Hectic View appeals to me as a better pony over the Derby distance than Peaceful View, though the latter is much faster over sprint distances.

Eye of Harvest is a kept over griffin and should also be kept in mind. The Kong Bros. Connections have two griffins which have been in training on and off for the last two years and I begin to wonder whether they will be held over for yet another year.

The above mentioned ponies, in my opinion, are the only ones that should have a say in the Derby, though if Jennifer is started, she will have a few followers. Personally, I feel this chestnut is not in the same class and will need watching only in the minor events, together with Blue Express, Avon, Blue Diamond and possibly, English Cavalier.

SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS

In connection with the subs, I was not far off the mark in my article on this class of ponies, which was written two weeks ago. Marksman and Orange Boven are the two that have shown up best. Orange Boven particularly has improved steadily and by the time the meeting opens will be about the fittest one saddled, and difficult to beat.

This chestnut has been under the constant supervision of Mr. Encarnacao and the result of the training must be indeed a source of pleasure to the owners. I believe Orange Boven will certainly be amongst the best, if not the top ranker of the year. Marksman follows closely and is a well formed pony with a typical racing heart. This bay is worth investing on every time he goes to the post.

MUSKETEER STILL PROMINENT

Musketeer has been doing steady work and is one of those most likely to challenge Orange Boven and Marksman for the premier place. On looks, this chestnut should commend a great deal of respect. Avalon put up a surprise performance on Wednesday morning but I am of the opinion that this grey will not be quite ready for the opening day of the meeting.

He should improve after a couple of outings and therefore may prove dangerous after the first two or three days. Tiny Tim is in fine condition and should be near in the sprint events. Wilber should also not be lost sight of.

Talkative has gone back a little in form and not making the progress I expected. Perhaps, after all, Chatterbox, from the same stable may prove to be the better racer. I am also a little disappointed in Gog, as he has the looks of a champion but does not impress in a finish. It may be that this grey is not sufficiently strong and I have not yet given up hopes of better things from this candidate later on.

Celtic Star and Silver Star are reported to have done a fast mile gallop about two weeks ago but I have not been able to obtain details of same. I prefer Celtic Star and would remind punters not to neglect this bay.

TWO GOOD OUTSIDERS

The three subs from the "Time" stable are quite worth following, as they are certain to pay well should they win early on. Personally, I think Guinness Time the best one, but have been reliably told that Smiling Time is the stable's hope. February Fourth and Phoenix are doing fairly slow work but these two are above the average and will be near winning an event each.

During the past two weeks, I picked up a couple of likely ponies in Strathbarnack and Wilmillly. These two I specially recommend to those who are always on the look out for outsiders and in for "big money."

THE AUSTRALIANS?

There has been nothing sensational to report amongst the Australians though the latest rumour being circulated amongst those in the know is

MARATHON ROAD RACE

Finest Runners In Colony Enter

Some of the finest runners from among the service men stationed in the Colony will contest the eighteenth annual Kowloon Marathon Road Race, on Tuesday, February 14.

Among the 31 entries already received, the outstanding contenders for first place should be L/Cpl. MacDonald and Pte. Manson, of the Royal Scots. 3rd and 4th respectively in the race last year, Cpl. Ellis, of the Middlesex Regiment, 5th last year, C. Brown, of H.M.S. Grampus, 7th last year, and M. Truckle, of H.M.S. Olympus.

Brown and Truckle finished 1st and 2nd in the 10,000 metres run at the Caroline Hill athletic meet last December, both completing the course in under 37 minutes in one of the fastest runs at the distance recorded in the Far East.

Others entered for Tuesday's race, who were among the first 14 to finish last year, are Privates Heather, Boggs, and Onslow, of the Middlesex Regiment, and Pte. Wilson, of the Royal Scots.

OTHER COMPETITORS

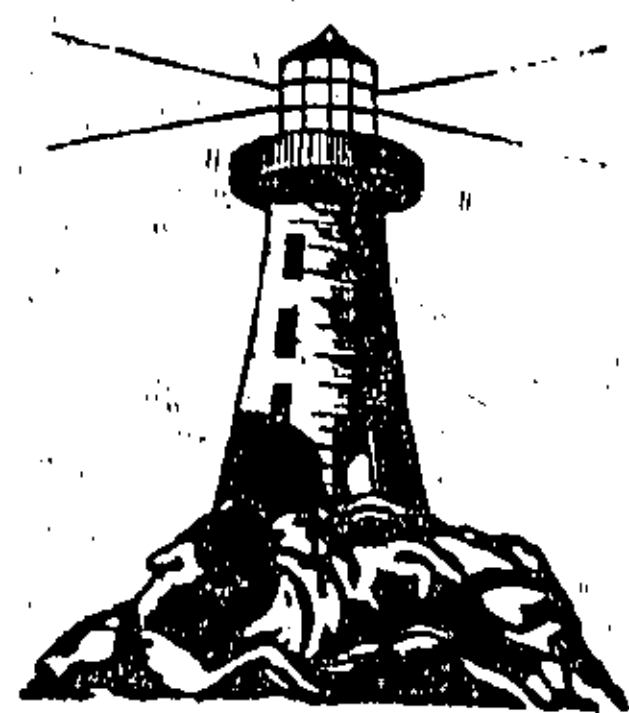
Competing, also, on Tuesday, will be: A. B. Drydale (H.M.S. Olympus), L/Sgt. Hiscrofts, L/Cpl. Ure, L/Cpl. Burnett, Privates Whitty, Gribble, Caul, Shaw, Jennings, Shenan, Cpl. Ellis, L/Cpl. Noble, and L/Cpl. Morton. Privates Dunne, Hughes, Roberts, Evans, and Cox (The Middlesex Regiment), Fl. Sergt. Sanderson (H.M.S. Eagle), A.B. Clarke and A.B. Morris (H.M.S. Eagle), and Privates Maste and Henderson (Royal Scots).

The prizes for the first three runners to finish are being donated by Sir Vandeleur Grayburn, Mr. Ezra Abraham, and Mr. F.C. Hall.

to the effect that Ruby Star did a fast six furlongs gallop last Thursday morning, after gate practice.

The Time is reported to be in the vicinity of 1:24 with a 28-2/3 last quarter; and if this is authentic, owners and trainers alike will be hand pressed to find one capable of beating this representative from the well known "Star" outfit. Laff at That is looking well, though perhaps a shade on the heavy side and I have been gaily expecting her new owners to give this brown mare a little harder work.

Janber is still keeping up with the usual routine and Chiltern has again demonstrated with a 1:59 mile trial that he will need watching every time he goes out. Cocklehol has convinced me that his main interest during the meeting will be centred on the sprint events. Helms has improved sufficiently of late to warrant following when the real good ones are otherwise engaged or barred. Triumph Day and Murrumbidgee are two others that have shown some improvement in their recent try-outs.



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HONGKONG GOLF CLUB

The following are the starting times for Fanning on Sunday:—
OLD COURSE

a.m.
9.16 H. E. the Governor and K. S. Morrison.
9.20 D. J. Gilmore and S. H. Dodwell.
9.24 E. H. Williams and T. Megarry.
9.28 R. H. Gregory and E. T. McMullen.
9.32 A. B. Purves and I. H. Geare.
9.36 W. T. Yomall and D. H. Blake.
9.40 G. McGrane and C. F. Marshall.
9.44 J. W. Mayhew and E. J. Fegiano.
9.48 R. Young and G. M. Park.
9.52 R. G. Parker and I. P. Tamworth.
9.56 J. L. C. Pearce and T. F. R. Waters.
10.00 M. A. Johnson and W. Woodward.
10.04 J. M. Pearson and W. S. E. James.
10.08 B. D. Evans and D. D. Forbes.
10.12 G. S. Archibut and D'Arcy Weatherbe.
10.16 A. N. and Q. A. A. Macfadyen.
10.20 P. C. Jackson and A. A. Bremner.
10.24 A. C. I. Bowker and Comdr. Hole.
10.28 S. J. H. Fox and H. H. Mundy.
10.32 W. W. C. Shewan and D. S. Edward.
10.36 C. Mycock and H. H. Beddow.
10.40 D. S. Robb and J. Forbes.
10.44 J. Hall and W. W. Rae.
10.48 P. S. Delany and D. Humphreys.
10.52 R. J. Shrigley and F. C. Young.
10.56 W. J. S. Key and R. W. Kirk.
11.00 H. Harrison and R. R. de L. Lalsching.

NEW COURSE

a.m.
9.20 L. M. S. Lloyd and C. M. Gee.
9.28 H. and Mrs. Overy.
9.32 C. H. D. Curtoys and J. W. Anderson.
9.40 W. and Mrs. Bell.
9.44 Miss Tylor and H. G. Sheldon.
10.00 Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Woodward.
10.32 R. G. Gray and C. D. N. Walker.
10.40 P. H. Scomes and T. A. Pearce.

RECORD CAPE FLIGHT

Henshaw Makes New History

LONDON, Feb. 10 (Reuter).—Alex Henshaw, King's Cup winner, who set out from Grayson on the morning of Feb. 5 in an attempt to break the record for the England—South Africa return flight, arrived back at Gravesend at 1.51 (G.M.T.) p.m. yesterday beating the record by 30 hours and 40 minutes. His time was 4 days, 10 hours and 15 minutes, as against 5 days, 17 hours taken by Flying Officer Clouston and Mrs. Kirby Green in 1937.

RELIEF BAZAAR

It was announced yesterday by the committee in charge of the bazaar in aid of the South China and Hongkong branch of the British Fund for the Relief of Distressed in China that the bazaar will be held in King's College, Bonham Road, from February 26 to February 28, inclusive.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Kowloon Wharf.—Neptuna and Pres. Coolidge.

Kowloon Bay.—Leana. Mount Park. Liga Maerik. Changte. Yaumatei.—Alice Moller. West Point Wharf.—Yu Sang. Douglas Wharf.—Selatan. Lai Chi Kok.—Wing Wah. North Point.—Ashridge.

DOCKS

Talkoo.—Penhang (new vessel). Paz, Szechuen, Empress of Canada. Sandviken, Breconshire. Kowloon.—Greystoke Castle, Silverwalnut, Javanese Prince.

BUOYS

No. A 3.—Tilawa.
No. A 5.—Tilbadak.
No. A 7.—Tilthybus.
No. A10.—Cremen.
No. A12.—Benwyls.
No. B 3.—Mulinam.
No. B 5.—Tinhaw.
No. B15.—Kiangsu.
No. B20.—Hupei.
No. B22.—Mau Sang.
No. B23.—Bolivar.

10.44 Mrs. Shewan and Mrs. Edward.
10.52 B. J. Lacom and D. McCallum.

H.K. CRIMINAL SESSIONS

Eighteen Cases On Calendar

Eighteen cases, including wounding with intent to murder, highway robbery, possession of dangerous drugs and possession of counterfeit coins, comprise the Criminal Sessions calendar for this month, which will open at the Supreme Court on Monday at 2.30 p.m.

The following are the cases down for trial:—

Wong Mun, breach of deportation order;
Chan Tai-ming, breach of deportation order;
Cheung Yuet-ling and Chan Kwan, unlawful possession of arms and ammunition;
Hung Wan and Wong Fu, robbery by two or more;
Leung Wah, alias Tau Si, and Ho Pak-yau, alias Tau Pei-yau, armed robbery;
Abdul Rashid, Abdul Caramat and Carlos Xavier da Cruz, highway robbery;
Wong Ki and Mo Keung, armed robbery, receiving stolen property and possession of arms and ammunition;
Lo Fuk-lam and Ho Chung, assault with intent to rob and common assault;
Li Choi, breach of deportation order;
Wong Cheung, possession of mounds and possession of counterfeit coins;
Ting Hung, shooting with intent to murder, shooting with intent to rob and possession of arms and ammunition;
Wong Shu-lun, wounding with intent to murder, shooting with intent to do grievous bodily harm,

BOEING CLIPPER DUE HERE ON MARCH 1

Pan American's Largest Flying Boat

It has been officially announced yesterday by radio-gram from the San Francisco headquarters of the Pan American Airways that the NC18602 Boeing Clipper will leave its base at Treasure Island in San Francisco (site of the forthcoming Golden Gate International Exposition) on February 22 and is due to arrive in Hongkong on March 1.

On this first trans-Pacific crossing of Pan American Airways' newest and largest flying boat, no passengers will be carried in either direction, but mail and air express cargo will be accepted for the flight from Hongkong on March 2. Subsequent planes will carry passengers, as well as mail

and possession of arms and ammunition;

Chan Ming, alias Tai Tau Ming, alias Fei Tai Ming, wounding;

Mok Wai-na and Leung Mah, possession of dangerous drugs;

Tsang Kam, highway robbery with violence;

Chan Nai-king, possession of dangerous drugs;

Tam Chan-sum, Keung Sum, Kwan Yee-chi, Tam Yiu-po and Chan Kam-tsai, possession of arms and ammunition and possession of stolen goods outside the Colony;

Hui Kam-ho, Hui Cho, Hui Kau, Ng Ching-fuk and Tsai Chi-shiu, possession of stolen goods outside the Colony.

and air express cargo, and will be on a weekly basis thereafter, with reduced fares and increased baggage allowances, as previously announced.

China National Aviation Corporation, general traffic agents for Pan American Airways at Hongkong, are not yet in a position to announce what arrangements will be made for receiving the first of the Boeing Clippers, but it is hoped that instructions will be received from San Francisco headquarters of Pan American Airways in the near future.

Hongkong has been awaiting for some time the arrival of this new giant air-liner, which will definitely mark a new era in the progress of its commercial aviation, and a great deal of satisfaction is felt that the Colony is soon to be served regularly by the largest commercial aircraft in operation in the world and as a main line Orient terminal of routes affording direct connections from the Colony to all points in North and South America, the West Indies, and Central America.

PAGE FOR THE CHURCHES

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

(GARDEN ROAD)
February 12—Sexagesima.
8 a.m. Holy Communion in the Peak Church.
11 a.m. Mattins.
Preacher: The Dean.
3.30 p.m. Children's Service (Sunday School Association).
6.30 p.m. Evensong.
Preacher: Rev. A. P. Rose.
Children's Services.
Cathedral, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Children's Service.
Chapel of the Resurrection, Happy Valley, 8.30 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.
Stanley Sunday School Room, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

WEEKDAYS
Holy Communion is celebrated on—
Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a.m. (Cathedral).
Friday at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese: Cathedral).
Thursday, Prayers for the sick at 10.15 a.m.
Daily 12 noon a Special Service of Prayer (Broadcast).

OTHER NOTICES

February 13—8 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.
February 14—5.30 p.m. Annual At Home and Church Meeting, Tea, 4.45 p.m., Cathedral Hall.
February 15—10.15-12.30 p.m. Cathedral Women Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.
8 p.m. Badminton League Match, Cathedral Hall.
February 16—3 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall. Speaker: Miss Faith Hall, "Indian Journey".
5.30 p.m. Confirmation Class (Adults), Lady Chapel.
5.30 p.m. Cathedral Scouts Meeting, Scouts Headquarters, Lower Albert Road.
February 17—5.30 p.m. Confirmation Class (Boys and Girls), Lady Chapel.
5.30 p.m. Choir Practice, Cathedral.
8.30 p.m. Hongkong Sunday School Association Party, St. Andrew's Hall, Kowloon.

CATHEDRAL MEMBERS
The annual revision of the Electoral Roll is now being made in preparation for the Annual General Meeting. All baptised worshippers at the Cathedral who have not already signed the Roll are asked to complete the form which is provided. By so doing they become Electors and will give much help to the clergy.

ROSARY CHURCH

20, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming services, etc.
Saturday, Feb. 11—Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes (a.m. 1858).
At 6 p.m. Recitation of the Holy Rosary. Procession to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sunday, Feb. 12—17th Anniversary of the Coronation of Our Holy Father Pope Pius XI—Sexagesima Sunday.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament all day.
Morning Service: Masses at 6.30, 7.30, 8.30 and 9.30 (Choral) a.m.
Evening Service: Recitation of the Holy Rosary. Sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 6 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 13—Meeting of the St. John Berchmans' Sanctuary Boys Society at 8 p.m.
Meeting of the Children of Mary's Sodality at 6 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 15—Meeting of the C.C.Y.W.S. at 5.30 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 17—To-day at 7.30 a.m. begins the Novena to Our Lord of "Passos" followed by Mass.
On week-days Mass at 6.30 and 7.30.

CHRIST CHURCH

(Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong)

Rev. N. V. Halward to Preach Evensong at 8 p.m.
February 12—Sexagesima Sunday.
7.15 a.m. Holy Communion, 9 a.m. Mattins and Sermon.
Preacher: Rev. N. V. Halward.
10.30 a.m. Service in Mandarin and English.
Preacher: Rev. N. V. Halward.
6.30 p.m. Evensong.
Preacher: The Vicar.
Sunday School at 9 a.m. at 3 Duke St.
Thursday, Feb. 16—Holy Communion at 7.15 a.m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

(CHURCH OF ENGLAND)

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.
Sunday, February 12—Sexagesima.
Holy Communion 8 a.m.
The Holy Communion Fellowship Breakfast will be held in the hall after this service.
Primary Sunday School in the Hall, 10 a.m. Leaders: Miss W. Robinson and Mrs. Bird.
Young People's Service in the Church 10 a.m. Leader: Mrs. J. R. Higgs.
Mattins 11 a.m. Preacher: The Vicar, (The Rev. J. R. Higgs).
Evensong 6.15 p.m. Preacher: The Vicar.

CONFIRMATION

The classes for confirmation will be arranged in Church at 4 p.m. All those wishing to be confirmed this year or desiring to know what Confirmation means, should attend the Church at this time.

WEEK DAY NOTICES

Monday, February 13—Medical Relief Working Party, 10 a.m.
Women's Guild 10.30 a.m.
Fellowship of Youth 6 p.m.
Teachers' Preparation Class, 7 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club Badminton "B" v. Wanderers at 8.30 p.m. (home).
Tuesday, February 14—Mothers' Union, 3 p.m. Speaker: Mrs. Douglas Orr.
Brownie Pack 3.30 p.m.
The Colony Marathon Race, which is open to members of St. Andrew's Club (by whom it is organised) and to all Europeans in the Colony, will be run at 5 p.m. from the Church. This will be the Eighteenth Annual race.
Boys' Choir Practice 6.00 p.m.
The Annual General Meeting of all St. Andrew's electors will be held in the hall at 8.30 p.m. Light refreshments will be provided at 8 p.m. This will be a most important meeting and there is a moral obligation on all our electors to attend.
Wednesday, February 15—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.
Wolf Cubs 5.30 p.m.
Rover Scouts 8.45 p.m.
Thursday, February 16—Women's Fellowship 3 p.m.
Boy Scouts 6 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club Committee Meeting 8.30 p.m.
St. Andrew's Club Open Badminton evening at 8.30 p.m.
Friday, February 17—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.
Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.
Saturday, February 18—St. Andrew's Ladies Hockey Team v. Seaford Ladies at 3 p.m. (Brawn Cup away).

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

February 11—Saturday, Apparition of Our Lady at Lourdes. In the afternoon a Monthly Retreat for St. Teresa's C.Y.L.A.
February 12—Sexagesima Sunday.
7 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in Chinese.
8 a.m. Holy Mass, Sermon in English and Benediction.
9.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in English.
February 13—Monday, at 6.30 p.m. begins the Annual Retreat for Chinese with Sermon and Benediction. On the following days there will be a Sermon at 9 a.m. for Chinese young ladies only and at 6.30 p.m. Sermon and Benediction for all.
February 14—Tuesday, at 8.15 p.m. Study Circle for St. Teresa's C.Y.M.S.
February 15—Wednesday Study Circle for St. Teresa's C.Y.L.A. at 6 p.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

February 12—Sexagesima Sunday.
First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.
Second Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
This Service will be broadcast—Sermon by Rev. Father G. Casey S. J. on the text: "And the thorns growing up with it, choked it." St. Luke VIII, 7.
Owing to the absence of the Rev. Naval Chaplain, there will be no 9 a.m. Service for the Army and Royal Navy, until further notice.
Sunday School for Children at 3 p.m.
On week-days, Holy Mass at 8 a.m.
Confessions are heard every day, before and after Mass.
On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

LESSON SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

SUBJECT—SOUL

The subject of the Lesson Sermon, in all Christian Science Churches, to-morrow February 12 will be "Soul."
The Golden Text will be:—"Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, and he will save us; this is the Lord." (Isaiah 25-9).
Among others, the following citations will be read from the Bible:—"This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, saith the Lord, I will put my laws into their hearts, and in their minds will I write them. Now the just shall live by faith: but if any man draw back, my soul shall have no pleasure in him. But we are not of them who draw back unto perdition; but of them that believe to the saving of the soul." (Hebrews: 10-16-38-39).
The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:—"Our theories make the same mistake regarding Soul and body that Ptolemy made regarding the solar system. They insist that soul is in body and mind therefore tributary to matter. Astronomical science has destroyed the false theory as to the relations of the celestial bodies, and Christian Science will surely destroy the greater error as to our terrestrial bodies. The true idea and Principle of man will then appear. When understanding change the standpoints of life and intelligence from a material to a spiritual basis, we shall gain the reality of Life, the control of Soul, over sense, and we shall perceive Christianity, or Truth, in its divine Principle." (Pages 122-322).

ANNOUNCEMENT

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong (a Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass.) No. 31 Macdonnell Road, close to Peak Tram Station, Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located in the Church Building and is open every morning (except Sunday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m. All authorised Christian Science literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road:
February 12—Sexagesima Sunday.
17th Anniversary of the Coronation of our Holy Father Pope Pius XI.
Morning services:
1st Mass at 6 with sermon in Chinese.
2nd Mass at 8 with sermon in English.
3rd Mass at 10 with sermon in English.
Evening services:
At 3.30 Catechetical Instruction.
At 4 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary, Solemn Te Deum in thanksgiving for the Holy Father.
February 14th—Holy Hour from 6.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.
February 18—The last day of the Chinese Year.
At 7.30 High Mass followed by Te Deum and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
On week days Mass at 6 and 7.30. Confessions Morning and Evening.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH

The Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, Hongkong

Sunday next Sexagesima.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher Rev. Cyril Brown.
8 p.m. Short Evening Service. N.B.—The Church is open to the general public.
RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH
18, JORDAN ROAD, KOWLOON
The following are the services for the forthcoming week:
Saturday, 6 p.m.
Sunday, 8.30 a.m.
Monday, July 11—6 p.m.
Tuesday, July 12—8.30 a.m.
St. Peter and St. Paul.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

HONGKONG

Queen's Road East. (Opposite the Royal Naval Hospital)
Services on Sunday February 12.
Preachers: Morning—Rev. E. Moreton and Evening—Captain A. J. Holland.
Junior Church at 9.30 a.m. All children welcomed.
Morning Parade Service at 10.15 a.m.
Hymn No. 9, Prayer, Hymn No. 431, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 21, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 157, Sermon, Hymn No. 391, Benediction.
Evening Service at 7 p.m.
Hymn No. 527, Prayer, Hymn No. 430, Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 253, Sermon, Hymn No. 96, Benediction.
NOTICES FOR THE WEEK
Following the Evening Service of Social Hour will be held at the S. and S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed.
The Badminton Club will meet at the S. and S. Home on Monday and Thursday at 7 p.m.
There will be a meeting for Prayer and Fellowship on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m. at the S. and S. Home. The House Committee is meeting at the S. and S. Home on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services for the forthcoming week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon:
Saturday, 8.30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.
Sunday, 11 a.m. Divine Service. Preacher, Mr. F. Smith, China Inland Mission, Shansi Province.
Sunday, 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes.
Sunday, 8.30 p.m. Gospel Service preceded by Song Service at 8 p.m. Preacher, Mr. F. Macleod. Subject, "Man Made Wiser." Text, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." John 3-16.
Monday, 8 p.m. S.A.C.A. Meeting.
Tuesday—All Day of Prayer.
Tuesday, 2.30 p.m. Meeting for Chinese amahs.
Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting.
Thursday, 10.30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Circle at 218 Nathan Road.
Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle at 3 Ho Man Tin Street, Top floor. All are welcome.
No collection Sunday Evening.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION

The Director of Ambulance has the honour to acknowledge with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations and gifts:
His Excellency the Governor Sir Geoffrey Northcote, \$100.
Sir Ely Kadoorie and Mr. Lawrence Kadoorie, \$500.
Sung Ching Association, \$300.
Mr. Kwok Chan, \$150.
St. Mary Magdalene Chapter No. 73, \$146.11.
Queen's College Man Relief Association, \$50.
Mrs. Chow Wong Kam Yin (per Mr. Kwok Hin Wang), \$50.
Mrs. Nancy Ching, \$20.
Dr. J. Farr (in memory of Miss Hughes), \$10.
Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Dunbar (in memory of the late Mr. Harold Seth), \$10.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Raymond (in memory of the late Mr. Harold Seth), \$5.
Mr. S. E. Edgar (in memory of the late Dr. Irving Kew), \$5.
Mr. Chan Chi Hang, Ha Tsuen, \$5.
Mr. Chan Kam Hang, Ha Tsuen, \$5.
Mrs. Fraser, \$3.
Mrs. Whitaker, \$3.
Mr. and Mrs. Green, \$3.
Mr. Cheng Cho, Tun Mun, \$2.
Mr. Tang Kam Mul, \$1.
Mrs. Gerrard, 2 rugs for Tsuen Wan Clinic.
Midwives' Association (per Miss Shuen Hung Ying), 5 cases of milk.
To Shuk Nursing Division, 60 cotton sweaters.
Dr. Montgomery, bed pans.
Misses Tsun, Mei Yin Girls' School, 36 suits underwear.
Chinese Young Women's Association, 60 padded coats, and 40 cotton singlets, 82 suits pyjamas, milk, badges, comfort bags, tinmed food, etc.
Mr. Wong Pui Chi, 100 padded coats.
Mr. Fung Ki Cheuk, 100 padded coats.
Per Nestle's Milk Products, Ltd., 4 cases of milk.

Radio Programmes

(Continued from Page 3)

(Damerell)—Gracie Fields with Orchestra. Dance Orch.—Drop In Next Time You're Passing—Fox-Trot (from "Going Places"); Unbelievable—Fox-Trot (from "Swing Along")—Jack Hylton & His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. Vocal w. Orch.—"Let's All Join In The Chorus With Tommy Handley And His Pals"—Medley of Old Time Songs—Tommy Handley and His Pals. Dance Orch.—Did I Remember—Fox-Trot (film "Suzy"); Knock, Knock, Who's There?—Fox-Trot—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain.
8.50 p.m. London Relay—"London Lok".
9.00 p.m. B.B.C. Recording—The Old Conventibles Part 2.
The Record of the British Expeditionary Force from Mons to Ypres, between August and November, 1914, by Beatrix Brice produced by Felix Felton and Val Gleigud.
9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.
(a) Marcelita, (b) Clavel del Aire, (c) Peanut Vender, (d) Marcella, 10.05 p.m. Record: I Hate Myself (Davis and Ager); Love In Bloom (film "She Loves Me Not")—Organ Solo by Sidney Torch, 10.10 p.m. (a) There's a far away look in your eyes, (b) When Pa was courtin' Ma, (c) You go to my head, (d) Pled Piper of Hamelin Town, 10.25 p.m. Record: I'm a fool for loving you (Wendling-Lewis); Lost My Rhythm, Lost My Music, Lost My Man (film Soft Lights and Sweet Music)—Dinah Miller (The Personality Girl) with Orchestra.
10.30 p.m. London Relay—"The Snow Maiden" Acts 1 and 2.
Of the Opera by Rimsky-Korsakov from Sadler's Wells Theatre, London.
11.45 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) Bewildered, (b) Mocking Bird, (c) Gee! But you're swell, (d) Twilight in Turkey.
12.00 Midnight. Close down.

TO-MORROW

"A SURVEY OF CHINA TO-DAY" by Lawrence Impey
St. Joseph's Church Choir
10.00 to 11.00 a.m. Relay of Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.
11.00 to 12.15 p.m. Relay of Morning Service from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).
12.15 p.m. Rubinstein at the Piano.
Grande Polonaise, Op. 22 (Chopin), Nocturne in G Major, Op. 37, No. 2 (Chopin).
12.32 p.m. Hubert Elsdell (Tenor) and Dora Labette (Soprano).
The Daughter of The Regiment—Overture (Donizetti)—Vienna Symphony Orchestra cond. by Paul Kerby. Take, O Take Those Lips Away; Hey, Ho, The Wind and The Rain (Shakespeare and Quilter); Go, Lovely Rose (Waller & Quilter);—Hubert Elsdell (Tenor) with Piano. Roses Of Picardy (Weaverly and Haydn Wood)—Hubert Elsdell (Tenor) with Orchestra. La Palma)—Spanish Serenade (Friedler); The Trailing Arbutus (Friedman)—Columbia Concert Orchestra. The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks O' Lock Lomon (Traditional); Comin' Thro' The Rye (Traditional)—Dora Labette (Soprano) with Piano.
1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m. Marek Weber and His Orchestra and Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).
The Hermit (Impression from the picture by Arnold Becklin) (Clemens Schmalstich); Forest Idyll (Basilinger)—Marek Weber & His Orch.—The Drums Are On Parade (Neville); Tramping Through The Countryside (Allison)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra. "A Waltz Dream"—Potpourri (Strauss, arr. Dostal)—Marek Weber and His Orchestra. The Silver Patrol (from same); Old Plantation (from "Cotton Club Parade")—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra and Male Quartet.
1.30 p.m. Reuter & Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.
1.40 p.m. Compositions of Schumann.
Overture "Manfred," Op. 115—The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra cond. by Adrian Boult. Widmung—Du Meine Seele Du Mein Herz (Op. 25, No. 1)—Maria Olezewska (Contralto) with Piano accomp. by George Reeves. (In German). Mondnacht—Karl Erb (Tenor)

with Piano by Bruno Seidler-Winkler. Concerto in A Minor, Op. 54—Alfred Cortot (Piano) and The London Philharmonic Orchestra cond. by Sir London Ronald.
2.30 p.m. Close down.
7.00 p.m. An hour of Mendelssohn's music.
"A Midsummer Night's Dream"—Overture—Berlin State Opera Orchestra cond. by Dr. Leo Bloch. O Woodlands Far—Richard Tauber (Tenor) with Orchestra. (In German). Trio in D Minor, Op. 49—Cortot, Thibaud and Casals; Auf Flügeln Des Gesanges—Elizabeth Schumann (Soprano) with Orchestra and by L. Rosenek. Overture "Fingal's Cake," Op. 26—The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra cond. by Adrian Boult. "Midsummer Night's Dream"—Scherzo—Sergel Rachmaninoff (Piano).
8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
8.03 p.m. Relay of a Recital by St. Joseph's Church Choir with The Very Rev. Father A. Riganti at the Organ.

1. Invocazione (Gollnelli)—Organ; 2. Canto della Sera (Antonelli)—The Choir; 3. Large (Veracini)—Cello (E. Pellegatti) and Organ; 4. "O Vergine, O Signora" (Caudana)—The Choir (Sopranos and Altos); 5. Ave Maria (Castelli)—The Choir; 6. Romance sans Paroles (Rabaud)—Cello and Organ; 7. "Paras Angelicus" (Cesar Frank)—Soprano (Elvie Yuen) with Cello Obligato; 8. Sanctus and Benedictus (Caudana)—The Choir.
8.40 p.m. Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.
Hungarian Rhapsody, No. 2 (Liszt); Prelude in A Flat (Szoskowitz, trans. Stokowski); Festival in Seville (Alveniz, arr. Stokowski)—conducted by Leopold Stokowski.
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VOLUNTEER ORDER

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Armoured Car Section
Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. A Class. Driving instruction. B Class M.G. training.
Motor Machine Gun Platoon
Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Vehicle parade.
No. 1 M.G. Company
Feb. 12, See para. 1 and 2 above. Those detailed, Kennedy Road Range, 9 a.m. Musketry.
Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Revolver training.
No. 2 M.G. Company
Feb. 12, See para. 1 above.
Feb. 18, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Anti-gas training.
No. 3 M.G. Company
Feb. 12, See para. 2 above.
Feb. 13, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 9 Platoon—Musketry. Those detailed for Kennedy Road Range, No. 10 Platoon—I.A. at Kennedy Road Range, Nos. 11 and 12 Platoons—I.A.

No. 4 M.G. Company
Feb. 15, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 14 Platoon—Musketry. Those detailed for Kennedy Road Range will parade at H.Q. at 5.15 p.m.
Feb. 18, H.Q. 5.15 p.m. for Kennedy Road Range, No. 13 Platoon. Those detailed.
Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 13 and 15 Platoons—Musketry.

Portuguese Companies
Feb. 14, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 5 M.G. Company—Mechanism Heads 9-14. A.A. Company—Lewis gun revision.

Machine Gun Signals
Feb. 13, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Line and Operating Sections. Signal training.
Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.20 p.m. D/R Section. Recruits—Miniature Range. Others D/R training. Riding practice as detailed.
Duty—Signals, Gegg and Suiter.

Medical Section
Feb. 15, H.Q. 6 p.m.
Pay Section
Feb. 17, H.Q. 5.30 p.m.
R.O.D.C.—Construction Section
Feb. 12, See para. 1 above.
Feb. 18, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Knots and lashings.

TRANSFERS
Sgt. J. J. King, from M.G. Signals to Unit Reserve, 7.2.39.
Pte. A. L. Rocha, from A.A. Coy. to Unit Reserve, 8.2.39.
Capt. J. F. Wright, from Air Arm to Reserve of Officers, 10.2.39.

LEAVE
Pte. C. C. Ng, No. 4 M.G. Company, 1.1.39-31.3.39.
Pte. V. W. Skues, No. 1 M.G. Company, 31.1.39-29.2.40.
Spr. H. C. Li, Lyon Light Sec., 8.2.39-23.2.39.
Pte. M. A. Cains, Mobile Column H.Q., 22.2.39-21.3.39.
Gnr. J. Hunter, 2nd Battery, 4.3.39-11.12.39.
Gnr. J. A. L. Pearson, 2nd Bty. Res., 4.3.39-9.1.40.
Gnr. B. J. Murray, 1st Bty. R. Sec., 10.2.39-9.4.39.
Lt. J. Smith, R.O.D.C., Opt. Sec., 14.2

THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

COMMAND OF THE BARHAM

The appointment dates from January 31 of Captain H. T. C. Walker to command the Barham, as Flag-Captain and Chief Staff Officer to the Vice-Admiral Commanding the First Battle Squadron, Mediterranean, Vice-Admiral Geoffrey Layton, C.B., D.S.O.

LAUNCH OF THE ILLUSTRIOUS

The aircraft-carrier *Illustrious* will be launched at the Walker-on-Tyne shipyard of Vickers-Armstrong, Limited, on April 5. The *Illustrious* is the second of the six aircraft-carriers provided for in the Navy rebuilding programme. The *Ark Royal* has already been completed.

Three others should also be launched this year: the *Victorious*, *Formidable*, and *Indomitable*. The sixth is the *Implacable*, ordered from the Fairfield Company last October.

2ND TRIBAL FLOTILLA

H.M.S. *Somali*, Captain R. S. G. Nicholson, D.S.O., the first ship to be completed for the 2nd Tribal Flotilla, has left Portland on her first cruise as a unit of the Home Fleet. H.M.S. *Eskimo*, Commander St. J. A. Micklethwait, has left Portland for Gibraltar. The other vessels of this flotilla are due for completion by March 31. They are replacing the 4th Destroyer Flotilla, Home Fleet, composed of vessels of the *Beagle* type.

BOOM DEFENCES

The official Navy List shows that 28 officers are now serving with the boom defences at the principal naval ports. Captain A. E. Buckland, D.S.O., D.S.C., is the Superintendent of Boom Defences, with headquarters at the depot and training school at Rosyth.

Among those employed as Boom Defence Officers are Commanders C. J. H. du Boulay, Firth of Forth; E. H. Hopkinson, O.B.E., Scapa; E. Enright, Portsmouth and Portland; H. R. Sperring, Harwich, Medway, and Dover; K. L. Campbell, Mediterranean; H. M. Montague, Hongkong; C. R. St. G. Tucker, Malaya; and G. E. Harden, D.S.O., Ceylon.

ROYAL YACHT APPOINTMENT

Lieutenant-Commander P. D. H. R. Pelly is appointed to the Royal yacht *Victoria* and Albert, to succeed Commander J. T. Lean, promoted in the New Year list.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Capt. K. H. L. Mackenzie, to St. Angelo (March 11), and as Capt. of the Deckyard, Deputy Supt. and King's Harbour Master, Malta (undated); J. C. Leach, M.V.O., to President for duty in Naval Ordnance Dept. (April 3), and as Director of Naval Ordnance (May 1); A. E. M. Cunningham-Graham, to Victory, and in charge of H.M. Signal Sch., Portsmouth (March 3).

Cdr. (E.) J. I. T. Green, to Vernon (Jan. 30); H. F. Fellowes, to President for language study (Jan. 31).

Lt.-Cdr. P. A. Cartwright, to Diamond (Feb. 10), and in command (undated); J. Mowlam, to Thanet (Feb. 10), and in command (undated); St. J. R. J. Tyrwhitt, to Defender, in command (undated). Payr. Lt.-Cdr. R. Bailey, to Scarborough (Feb. 7). Act. Sub-Lt. J. M. L. Schofield, to Osprey (Jan. 30).

PROMOTIONS

Sub-Lt. (E.) A. F. A. Abbott, to rank of Lt. (E) (seny. Feb. 1). Cd. S.O.—D. Ahm, to rank of Payr. Lt. (seny. Jan. 13). Wt. S.O.—F. Fowler, to rank of Cd. Supply Officer (seny. Jan. 13).

THE ARMY

TROOP MOVEMENTS IN FEBRUARY

The troop programme for February will include the dispatch of the *Nevasa* from Southampton with drafts for the Mediterranean, and on successive dates the *Somersetshire*, *Lancashire*, *Dorsetshire*, and *Essex* will sail for India and Singapore.

The *Essex* is due from the West Indies on February 15, when she completes her maiden voyage under Captain J. M. Legg as the first of the new P. & O. troopships. She will bring home the 1st Battalion, The Sherwood Foresters, and after a month's furlough the battalion goes on to Palestine.

The 2nd Battalion, The K.S.L.I., from Pembroke Dock, relieve the Foresters in Bermuda and Jamaica. The 2nd Battalion, The Royal Norfolk Regiment, which has been relieved at Gibraltar by the

SINO-JAPANESE WAR FUTURE

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Now time works for China. Prolonged resistance will force Japan to keep a vast "army of occupation" in China. It is probably not so much the will of the Japanese military as the determined and growing will of Chinese resistance that will make it necessary to keep huge Japanese forces in China. But it will not be as Gen. Itagaki says for a prolonged period of reconstruction but for a prolonged period of war, which will make profits for Japan impossible, and which may finally break the economic back of the Japanese industrial and military machine.

As far as territory is concerned, two-thirds of China is still unoccupied, but even the occupied one-third is two-thirds unconquered. The unoccupied territories can be divided into two parts, the north-west and the west and south-west.

The Chinese North-West. We will deal only with the Communist north-west, the north-west of the 8th Route Army, and the Muslim north-west, the north-west of the so-called pro-Japanese Mohammedan Federation.

Concerning the Communist north-west, there is no doubt. They are heart and soul with the National Government. They have organized the students and the peasant villages en masse against the Japanese invasion. With almost no arms, except those they have been able to capture from the Japanese, they have wrecked troop trains, torn up railways and kept great armies out of vast areas in the north-west.

The courage and achievements of the 8th Route Army are beyond dispute. When its soldiers are seriously wounded, they lie silent in the grass. At dusk, little peasant boys find them. After dark, strong peasant women carry them across the mountains to "hospitals" in caves. Here on straw, often without bedding or clothes, half-trained youth try to care for them. Here in that great co-operative called the 8th Route Army, money for medical care is most needed and can be made to go the farthest. Here \$7 Chinese money will save a patriot's life for his country.

II

PATRIOTS TO HUMANITY

In the 8th Route Army, soldiers are not only patriots to their country but to humanity. Peasants are not only taught better agriculture but socialist politics and high patriotism. Thousands of students are studying in the National Salvation Colleges. Their class rooms are in deep caves far beyond the reach of Japanese bombs. Wherever Japanese soldiers might come, slogans appear, the like of which have never been seen before in any war. "Japanese brothers, you love your homes, why burn ours?" The 8th Route Army of peasants believes that the Japanese peasant soldier is as much a victim of Japanese militarism as invaded China is. A common enthusiasm for a great cause fills this part of China. That is why all roads for thousands of courageous youth lead to the 8th Route in the north-west.

But there is another north-west, that of the Muslims. Can the millions of Muslims in the north-west be induced by the Japanese to make a pro-Japanese state? Owen Lattimore, one of the best foreign students of China, answers with an emphatic "No."

The two outstanding characteristics of the Chinese Muslims are their toughness and their solidarity. They Muslims have survived because they are tough and have stuck together. They have also proven again and again that they are ready to do what other Chinese rarely do, that is fight for their religious faith.

These Muslims are loyal to the wider world of Islam, which implies no disloyalty to China. Just before the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese war, 170 Muslim pilgrims sailed in one ship from Shanghai to Mecca, and 18 Chinese students went to the great Muslim University at Cairo.

(To be Continued)

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following list of unclaimed telegrams are lying at Cable & Wireless Ltd., Hongkong Branch: Hauck, American Express from Manila.

Bether from Tushan. Captain. Steamship *Rio Blanco* from Keelung.

WOLFRAM MINES IN KWANGTUNG

Japanese Attempts To Seize Them

SHIUKWAN, Feb. 10 (Int'l).—Japanese attempts to seize the wolfram mines in Kwangtung province have thus far yielded no result owing to the fact that they are still far away from the rich areas embedding these ores useful for the manufacture of heavy armaments.

Kwangtung, Kwangsi and Kiangsi provinces have richer and more wolfram or tungsten mines than anywhere in the world. Its prices are lower than those of other countries, although at the moment there is difficulty in exporting this mineral owing to Japanese blockade.

Japanese troops are renewing their push northward from Canton in order to gain control of the Canton-Hankow Railway, along which some of the best wolfram mines are located.

Japan is feverishly replenishing her arms in order to cope with a world war. She is particularly affected by the intransigent attitude of the United States in naval rearmament and fortification as well as the non-recognition of Japanese self-asserted rights acquired by conquest in China. A similar stand is adopted by Great Britain, France and Soviet Russia.

LARGE SUMS OF MONEY OFFERED

Being yet far away from the wolfram mines in north Kwangtung, the Japanese military in Canton are offering large sums of money to wolfram miners in order to buy their wares for export to Japan. In any way the price is much lower than before, because prior to the loss of Canton the Chinese military there exacted a heavy levy on the sale of this mineral.

At present, the Japanese can buy wolfram from Chinese exploiters in north Kwangtung at cheap prices, while some shipments can be sent abroad to cater for buyers in the United States, Great Britain, France and Soviet Russia.

On the other hand, the Chinese plan is to export this mineral via Pakhoi and Swatow, as a barter for military equipment from foreign countries.

FINAL DIVIDEND

At a Board meeting held yesterday, the Directors of the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd., recommended a final dividend of \$1.25 per share, making a total of \$2.50 per share for the year 1938.

GOLD RESERVES AND NOTE CIRCULATION

BANK OF FRANCE
PARIS, Feb. 9 (Reuter).—The return of the Bank of France for the week ended February 5, shows gold reserves totalling \$7,268,000,000. Francs of gold content of 21.5 milligrammes, showing no change from the previous week.

The total note circulation is given as 111,855,000,000 Francs, showing an increase of 12,477,000,000 Francs as compared with the previous week.

GERMAN REICHSBANK
BERLIN, Feb. 9 (Reuter).—The return of the German Reichsbank for the period ended February 5, gives the total note circulation as 7,549,000,000 Reichsmarks, showing a decrease of 267,000,000 Reichsmarks as compared with the period ended January 29.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions

to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

on SATURDAY, the 11th FEBRUARY, 1939.

Commencing at 11 a.m.

At their Sales Room, No. 2 Connaught Road Central

A QUANTITY OF MISCELLANEOUS GOODS

also 2 Bales Cotton Yarn 18 Boxes French Perfumes

TERMS: Cash on Delivery.

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Adds a beautiful finishing polish to the coiffure. Both men and women delight in this super-refined Brilliantine which is especially valuable to those with dry scalp, and keeps the hair immaculately in place all day!

In liquid or solidified form.

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KANSAI Kansai Hotel Kansai (Japan Alps) + Kamikochi Imperial Hotel KARATSU (near Fukuoka) Karatsu Seaside Hotel KAWASAKI + Makasa Hotel KAWANA Kawana Hotel Koshuwa (midway between Osaka and Kobe) Koshuwa Hotel	NARA Nara Hotel Nikko Kanaya Hotel Osaka Dobutsu Hotel Hotel New Osaka Osaka Hotel Osu (near Lake Biwa) Hotel Lake Biwa Sapporo (Hokkaido) Sapporo Grand Hotel SUNGOKU Sungoku Hotel TAKARAKU (Near Kobe) Takaraku Hotel Tokyo Imperial Hotel Mandarin Hotel Omori Hotel + Sano Hotel Tokyo Railway Hotel	
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The Japan Hotel Association
Care Traffic Bureau, Department of Railways, Tokyo

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ON

TUESDAY, the 14th FEBRUARY, 1939

Commencing at 5.15 p.m.

At their Sales Room, No. 2, Connaught Road, Central. (Room No. 205, 2nd Floor)

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Comprising:—

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On VIEW from MONDAY, the 13th FEBRUARY, 1939.

Terms: Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS. AUCTIONEERS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions

TO SELL BY

PUBLIC AUCTION

ON

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 23rd and 24th FEBRUARY, 1939

Commencing each day at 9.30 a.m., with an interval from 12 noon to 1.30 p.m.

At H.M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, and at Kowloon Naval Depot.

OLD AND SURPLUS NAVAL STORES, &c.

Comprising:—

Steam Boat without boiler, Machinery, for Steam Boat, Boilers, Wall Cranes.

Old Tools, Canvas, India Rubber, Clocks, Leather, Electric Gear, Electric Motors, Lamps, Oars, Cordage, Firewood, Blankets, Counterpanes, Carpets, Rugs, Coverlets, Beds, Wash Basins, Furniture, Electric Cable, Oil Drums, Dirty Oil, etc.

also

Old Metals comprising Zinc, Copper, Brass, Iron, Steel, Lead, Old Battery Plates, etc.

Lots may be inspected on Wednesday, 22nd February, 1939. Terms of Sale:—As detailed in Catalogue.

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Finance and Commerce

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

FEBRUARY 10, 1939

On London:	Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 13/16
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 13/16	Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 1/16
On Shanghai:	On demand 17 1/2 nom
On Singapore:	On demand 53
On Japan:	On demand 116 3/4
On India:	Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 15/8
On New York:	Bank Bills, on demand 28 7/8
Credits 4 months' sight 29 3/8	On Batavia:
On demand 53 1/2	On Paris:
On Bank:	Bank Bills, on demand 1090
Credits 4 months' sight 1130	On London:
On demand 108 3/4	On Manila:
On demand 54	On Bangkok:
On demand 150	Sterling Notes:
Bank Buying Rate 1/8	Bar Silver per oz. 29 1/4

Market Report

From Roza Bros.
Silver prices rose 1/8 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 20 1/4 for Ready and 19 7/8 for Forward. Silver advances reported some bear covering. India bought. The market was steady. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.
The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.75. New York/London was quoted at 468.7/8.

There were sellers at 1/2 15/16 February and 1/2 29/32 March. May, buyers at 1/2 31/32 Cash and 1/2 15/16 March/May.
U.S. Dollars
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Shanghai Dollars
Sellers at 182 3/4.
Shanghai Market
Sterling opened with sellers at 8 11/16 and closed at noon at 8 5/32. U.S. Dollars 15 15/16 sellers.
AFTERNOON MARKET
Quiet. The tone appeared a shade easier.
Sterling
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New York 15-5/8
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Hongkong 53-3/8
Open Market—Selling Rates
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Dollars, 15-7/8.
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SILVER MARKETS

LONDON SILVER

London, Feb. 9 (Reuters).
Silver—India bought. Bears covered. Buyers satisfied. Market steady. In the afternoon, the market was dullish, with small sellers at the fixed rate.
Spot, 20-1/4d.
Forward, 19-7/8d.

NEW YORK SILVER

New York, Feb. 9 (Reuters).
Official Price, 42-3/4.
BOMBAY SILVER
Bombay, Feb. 9 (Reuters).
Market—Quiet. Offtake 30 bars.

BERLIN EXCHANGE

Berlin, Feb. 10 (T.Ocean).
The Reichsmark was quoted without guarantee at—New York 40.14, Paris 15.16, Amsterdam 74.40 to 74.50, London 11.68.

PARIS EXCHANGE

Paris, Feb. 10 (T.Ocean).
Sterling was quoted at 178-31/32 to 177-1/32. U.S. Dollar at 37.76-1/2 to 37.77-1/2.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

New York, Feb. 9 (Reuters).
T.T. on London (Opening Rate), 4.68-13/16.

CALCUTTA EXCHANGE

Calcutta, Feb. 9 (Reuters).
T.T. on Japan, 78-5/8.

INDIA RUPEE PAPER

Bombay, Feb. 9 (Reuters).
Govt. 3 1/2% Rupee, 96-14-0, which is \$265,000,000.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuters Service)

QUOTATION

FEBRUARY 10, 1939.

STOCKS	Last Sale Feb. 9	STOCKS	Last Sale Feb. 9
Adams Express	94	Int. Tel. & Tel.	87
Allegheny Steel Co.	22	Johns Manville	94
Allis-Chalmers	41 1/2	Kennecott Copper	38 1/2
Amer. Can.	62	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	47 1/2
Amer. & Foreign Power	94 1/2	Lockheed Aircraft	29 1/2
Amer. & Foreign P. pf.	17 1/2	Loew's Inc.	49 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	24 1/2	Martin, Glen L.	34 1/2
Amer. Metals Co.	35 1/2	Monsanto Chemical	100
Amer. Radiator	15 1/2	Montgomery Ward	49 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	13	Nat. Dairy Products	14
Amer. S'ing and R'ing Co.	44 1/2	Nat. Distillers	25 1/2
Amer. Sugar R'ing	19 1/2	National Gypsum	13 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	155 1/2	National Lead	23 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B"	87 1/2	Nat. Power & Light	8 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	15 1/2	Nat. Supply Corp.	12 1/2
Anacostia Copper	28 1/2	New York Central	17 1/2
Atchafalpa T. & S. Fe.	34 1/2	N. American Aviation	18
Auburn Motors	31 1/2	North American Co.	24 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	61	Northern Pacific	11 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co.	17 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec.	29 1/2
Barnsdall Oil	15	Pacific Lighting	44 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	67 1/2	Packard Motors	4 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.	28 1/2	Paramount Pictures	10 1/2
Borg-Warner	26 1/2	Pennsylvania R.R.	20
Biggs Manufacturing	24 1/2	Phelps-Dodge	38 1/2
Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans.	11 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	39 1/2
B'klyn-M'hattan \$6 cum pf.	36 1/2	Public Service of N.J.	34 1/2
Canadian Pacific R'way	58	Pullman Inc.	32 1/2
Case, J.I.	82 1/2	Pure Oil	9
Celanese	19 1/2	Radio Corp. of Am.	7
Chesapeake & Ohio	34 1/2	Republic Steel	20 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	74 1/2	Reynold Tobacco "B"	40 1/2
Columbia Gas & El.	8	Schenley Distillers	15
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	87	Schenley 5 1/2% pf.	15
Commercial	53 1/2	Sears Roebuck	70 1/2
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	11	Shell Union Oil	12 1/2
C'wealth & S. 6% cum pf.	60	Socron-Vacuum Oil	12 1/2
Consolidated Edison	32 1/2	Southern Pacific	16 1/2
Continental Can.	39	Southern Rly 55 pf.	28 1/2
Continental Oil	26 1/2	Sperry	44 1/2
Corn Products	63	Standard Brands	7
Curtiss Wright (C.)	63	Stand Gas & Elec.	3 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A"	26 1/2	Standard Oil of N.J.	49 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	184	Stone & Webster	15
Du Pont de Nemours	148 1/2	Swift International	27 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	11 1/2	Technicolor	19 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	11 1/2	Texas Corp.	43 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf.	64	Texas Gulf Sulphur	30 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf.	71 1/2	Trans-America Co.	6 1/2
Elec. Power & Light \$7 pf.	36 1/2	20th Cent. Fox \$14 pf.	23 1/2
Flintkote	26 1/2	Union Carbide & Carbon	82 1/2
Gen. American Trans.	55 1/2	Union Pacific	95 1/2
Gen. Electric	40 1/2	United Aircraft	38 1/2
Gen. Motors	47 1/2	United Airlines Trans.	10 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal	22	United Corp.	3 1/2
Gilchrist Co.	20 1/2	United Corp. \$3 cum pf.	3 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.)	20 1/2	United Gas Corp.	3
Goodrich \$5 pf.	59 1/2	United Gas Improvement	12 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Co.	31 1/2	U.S. Rubber	43 1/2
Great Northern Iron Ore	14 1/2	U.S. Steel \$8 pf.	99 1/2
Great Northern Rly. pf.	24 1/2	U.S. Steel	98 1/2
Great Western Sugar	24 1/2	Vanadium	25
Greyhound Corp.	17 1/2	Warner Bros. Pict.	5 1/2
Hecker Products	11 1/2	Westinghouse Elec.	108
Homestake Mining	82 1/2	Woodward Iron Cor.	21 1/2
Int. Nickel	50 1/2	Chase National Bank	30 1/2
		National City Bank	24

*—bid. —ex. div.

DOW JONES AVERAGE

1928 & 1929	Feb. 10, 1939	High	Low	Close	Change
154.41	91.99	90	Industrial	145.43	145.59 143.83 143.89 1.44 off
84.33	30.98	30	Rail	30.98	30.81 29.85 29.80 30 off
35.02	15.14	20	Utilities	25.29	25.34 24.60 24.67 68 off
29.70	23.20	40	Bonds	20.27	20.27 20.27 20.27 0 off
58.00	45.03	11	Commodity Index	47.33	46.59 46.59 46.59 0 off

Business Done—\$50,000 shares

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Buyers	Sellers	Bales	Nominal	FRIDAY 10. FEB.	Buyers	Sellers	Bales	Nominal
				Banks				
\$1390		\$1395		H.K. Banks			C.D.	\$141
				Do. (Col. Reg.)			X.D.	233
			231 1/2	Do. (Low Reg.)				231
			231	Chartered Banks				234
			227 1/2	Mercantile Bks "A"				237
			213	Mercantile Bks "C"				213
			235	Bank of East Asia	\$8 1/2			93
				N. C. & S. Banks				
				Insurance				
			0230	Canton Insurance				131
\$463 1/2		\$460		Union Insurance	\$6 1/2			146
		65 cts.		Underwriters				
			\$175	H.K. Pines			\$17 1/2	
				Shipping				
				Douglas				281
			\$10	Steamboats				214
			183	Indo-China (Pref.)				255
			621	Indo-China (Def.)				624
			53 1/4	Shells				53 1/4
				Waterboats				59
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
				H.K. & K. Wharves	\$11 1/2			
\$117				Providencia (old)	\$9.00	\$6.70	\$1.90	58
\$6.70		\$6.70		Providencia (new)				117
\$6.40			\$17.70	H.K. & W. Docks				117
			\$18 1/2	Do. (new)				1010
			395	Shanghai Docks S.				391
			48	New Engineering S.				
				Mining				
			17/6	Kailans				17/6
			71	Rauba				38
			\$3	Vancouver Gold Fide				63
			0 cts.	Hong Kong Mines				
				Lands, Hotels and Buildings				
				H.K. Hotels	\$3.80	\$7	\$6.85	
\$8 1/2			\$35 1/2	H.K. Lands	\$36 1/2	\$36.80		\$10
			\$107 1/2	Do. 4% Debentures				
			\$8.70	Shanghai Land S.				55
			\$3 1/2	H.K. Realities				19
			\$2 1/2	Humphreys				
\$100				Chinese Estates				
				Cotton Mills				
			\$18 1/2	Ewo (S.)				18 1/2
			\$102	Shai Cottons (S.)				121
			\$24	Zoong Sings (S.)				\$24
			\$43	Wing On Textiles (S.)				137
				Public Utilities				
				Tramways	\$17.35	\$17.55		9
			\$5	Peak Tram (old)				34
			\$4	Peak Tram (new)				
			\$3	Peak Ferry	72			
\$2 1/2				Y'mat Ferry (O)	\$23 1/2			
			\$22	Do. (new)	\$22.40			
\$6.90		\$6.90 1/2		China Lights (O)	\$8.70	\$9	\$8 1/2	
		15 1/2		China Lights (New)				\$5
\$58		\$58 1/2		China Lights R.				
			\$16 1/2	H.K. Electric			58 1/2	
			\$10 1/2	Macao Electric				
			\$33	Sandakan Lights				
			\$7 1/2	Telephones (old)				\$7 1/2
			\$2 1/2	Telephones (new)				22
			24 1/2	Traction				
				Traction (pref.)				
				Industrials				
			\$14	Cald, Macg. (Ord.) S.				
			\$13	Cald, Macg. (Pref.) S.				91
			\$170	Canton Ice				\$13
			\$16 1/2	Cement				
\$4.10				Ropes	\$4.10			
				Miscellaneous				
			\$23	Dairy Farms				82
\$7			\$11 1/2	Ob. B'tainment	\$7.05			
				Constructions (old)				
			\$3	Constructions (new)				3
				Lane Crawford				\$3
				Nanyang Tobacco				
			\$1 1/2	Miscellaneous	\$1.80	\$1.90		
			\$7.90	Watsons	\$7.80			
0 1/2				Ch. G. 5% 1925 \$Bds.				68 1/2
37 1/2				H.K. Govt. 4% Loans				31
100				H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan				
\$39 1/2				H.K. Wing On	\$40			\$5
				Sh'hai Wing On				
			\$6.80	Vibro Piling				\$6
			14 1/2	Marsmann Inv. (Lon.)				
				Marsmann Inv. (H.K.)				
2/0			80 cts.	Wm. Powells				90
				*Sale to Shanghai				

BANKS

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

Authorized Capital \$20,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-Up \$20,000,000
Reserve Funds:
Sterling £8,500,000
H.K. Currency Reserve \$10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors \$20,000,000

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Dairen, Malacca, Sungei
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Current Accounts opened in Local Currency and Fixed Deposits received for one year or shorter periods in Local and other Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Also up to date Safe Deposit Boxes in various sizes To Let.
Hong Kong, 7th October, 1938.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK

The business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

For the Hong Kong & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION:
V. M. Grayburn,
Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 7th October, 1938.

BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED

Authorized Capital \$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital 5,598,000
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CAWNPOR, LUMPIR, SOERABAYA
CEBU, KUCHING, TAIPING
COLOMBO, MADRAS, TIENTSIN
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H.K. STOCK EXCHANGE

Feb. 10.

The market during the week was on the whole very quiet, but at times it showed signs of firmness, which did not last for long. However, prices have been well maintained, and the market closes steady.

Providents, Lights, Underwriters, Electric, and Wharves, show an improvement since last week while Banks and Unions close buyers at \$1390 and \$462 respectively.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

Hongkong Bank, \$1410, \$1395, \$1390, \$1395.
Bank of East Asia, \$85.
Union Insurance, \$465.
China Underwriters, 55 cts, 58 cts, 60 cts, 65 cts.

Hongkong Pines, \$180.
Wharves, \$118.
Docks (Old), \$175, \$17.60.
Providents (Old), \$6.35, \$6, \$6.70.
Providents (New), \$61.
Lands, \$364.
Tramways, \$174, \$17.40.

China Lights (Old), \$8.90, \$9.
China Lights (New), \$54.
China Lights (Rights), \$3.
Electric, \$571, \$581, \$584, \$581.
\$58.35, \$59, \$58.
Cements, \$15.95, \$16.
Dairy Farms, \$23.
Constructions, \$14.
Raubs, \$7.68.
Govt. 4 1/2 Loan 3 1/2 prem.
Govt. 3 1/2 Loan Par.

3.30 P.M. CHANGES (CLOSING QUOTATIONS)

Buyers:
H.K. Realities, \$5.40.
H.K. Tramways, \$17.
Wing On (H.K.), \$38.
Marsmans (H.K.), 2/8.

Sellers:
Providents (Old), \$6.80.
H.K. Realities, \$5.65.
Telephones (Old), \$23.

Sales:
China Underwriters, \$6.70.
Providents, (New), \$6.40.
H.K. Electric, \$58/58.
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GOLD IN BATANG PADANG

Probable Source Of Alluvium

The production of gold in the Batang Padang district has more than doubled itself since 1934, the amount of gold produced then being 3733 ounces as compared with 7643 ounces in 1937. Prior to 1934 the average production a year was in the neighbourhood of 1000 ounces, states Dr. F. T. Ingham, Mining Geologist, who recently carried out investigations in this district.

Native gold has been obtained for many years as a by-product in mines working primarily for tin ore. Gold is of widespread occurrence in the alluvium of the area that has been surveyed. It has been found in small amounts northeast of Tapah on the Sungai Seol Estate and is common in stream concentrates from the Sungai Mas, a tributary of the Sungai Batang Padang.

Gold has been obtained from concentrates washed from the Anak Sungai, Janka and the Anak Sungai Chapor. It has also been obtained from bore samples near Tapah Road village. Dr. Ingham states that the chief producing area, however, extends from south of Changkat Remban to Bidor.

SHEARED PORTIONS
The bulk of the gold appears to have been derived from the intensely sheared portions of the Changkat Remban granite and from the mineralised schist and phyllite in contact with it. Some, however, is derived from the Main Range granite and from sedimentary rocks near its contact.

It is, however, believed that in both the granite masses of Changkat Remban and the Main Range the gold is confined to these areas or zones which exhibit shearing. In these sheared zones and the foliated sedimentary rocks nearby, the gold occurs in quartz veins and stringers.

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m.v. "BURGENLAND" for Genoa, Rotterdam, Hamburg ... 21st Mar.

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Volume of Business Transacted
Friday, February 10

STOCK	No. of Shares	Price
Trams	200	\$17.40
Lands	100	36.25
Watsons	200	7.85
Providents (O.)	500	6.70
Marsman Invest.	300	13/9
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 Loan	8,000	par
United Paracale	5,000	Ps. 67
Itogons	3,000	Ps. 32
Demonstrations	5,000	Ps. 204
Paracale Gynmaus	12,000	Ps. 14

CLOSING PRICES

Closing Philippine prices yesterday were:-

	February 10.
Antamoks	45
Atoks	35
Baguio Gold	264
Benquet Consol.	13.80
Coco Grove	47
Consol. Mines	003
Demonstrations	204
Paracale Gynmaus	14
San Maurice	1.80
Suyoc Consol.	224
United Paracales	67

The market was quiet.

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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"MUINAM"	On 11th Feb., 1 p.m.
KWANGCHOW & HONGKONG	"KIANGSU"	On 11th Feb., 2 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"PRINCE"	On 11th Feb., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOCHOW, TIENTSIN	"HUPEH"	On 12th Feb., 11 a.m.
W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUPEH"	On 12th Feb., 11 a.m.
KWANGCHOW & HONGKONG	"KWANGTUNG"	On 14th Feb., 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOW & HONGKONG	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 14th Feb., 4 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"INKIANG"	On 15th Feb., 10 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 15th Feb., 6 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SZECHUEN"	On 16th Feb., 11 a.m.
SINGAPORE direct	"PAHANG"	On 16th Feb., 6 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KIANGCHOW"	On 18th Feb., 11 a.m.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"KAYING"	On 21st Feb., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOCHOW, TIENTSIN	"YOHOW"	On 22nd Feb., 11 a.m.
W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"KALGAN"	On 23rd Feb., Noon
KWANGCHOW & HONGKONG	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 28th Feb., 4 p.m.

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CHANGTE	14 Feb.	17 Feb.	6 Mar.	
TAIPING	10 Mar.	17 Mar.	5 Apr.	
CHANGTE	11 Apr.	17 Apr.	20 Apr.	5 May
TAIPING	9 May	15 May	18 May	2 June

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WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., Feb. 10.

Barometer (at sea level), 30.18 ins.

Temperature, 64 F.

Humidity, 61 per cent.

Wind Direction, East.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 5.

Temperature, maximum yesterday, 62 F.

Temperature, minimum last night, 57 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th, to-day, Nil.

Total rainfall since January 1, 1.12 ins.

Against an average of 1.80 ins.

Sunset on night, 6.17 p.m.

Sunrise to-morrow, 6.58 a.m.

4 p.m., Feb. 10.

Barometer (at sea level), 30.04.

Temperature, 65.

Humidity, 74.

Wind Direction, East.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 11 to 1 Feb. 1939

HIGH WATER. LOW WATER

Day of Week Day of Month

Hong Kong Standard Time Height

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Sat. 11 02.45 4.5 07.28 3.0

Sun. 12 01.45 5.9 06.27 3.0

Mon. 13 00.23 6.0 05.03 3.7

Tue. 14 01.07 6.1 04.47 3.7

Wed. 15 00.50 6.3 03.25 3.9

Thur. 16 01.16 6.5 02.19 3.9

Fri. 17 00.21 6.4 02.11 3.7

Sat. 18 00.44 6.7 02.42 3.5

Sun. 19 02.21 6.9 01.49 3.5

Maximum temperature, 68.

Minimum temperature, 57.

Rainfall, Nil.

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FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy

Lipitok, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 11.

Proton, B. & S., Feb. 12.

Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14.

Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 15.

Faiyuan, B. & S., Feb. 15.

Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 15.

Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 17.

Tsuan, B. & S., Feb. 21.

Hai Lee, Thoresen's, Feb. 27.

Chefoo

Hupei, B. & S., Feb. 12.

Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.

Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 17.

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Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 22.

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Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 23.

Daviken, Jensen's, Feb. 23.

Foshing, Jardine's, Feb. 24.

Chuanchow

Taiyuan, B. & S., Feb. 14.

Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 15.

Dairen

Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 12.

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Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 15.

Thyphibius, B. & S., Feb. 18.

Sophie Dickmers, Jensen's, Feb. 26.

Oldenburg, Jensen's, Feb. 27.

Fochow

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Hinghwa

Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.

Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11.

Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 12.

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Mennon, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Canton, Gilman's, Feb. 14.

Fres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15.

Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.

Burgeland, Jensen's, Feb. 16.

Taiwa, B. I. (Apar), Feb. 16.

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Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21.

Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 22.

Thesus, B. & S., Feb. 22.

Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22.

Daviken, Jensen's, Feb. 23.

Ruy, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 23.

Foshing, Jardine's, Feb. 24.

Husini Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.

Sophie Dickmers, Jensen's, Feb. 26.

Grete Maerk, Jensen's, Feb. 27.

Aramis, Messageries, March 1.

Canton, O. & A., March 2.

Nankin, E. & A., March 4.

Java, E. A. Co., March 6.

Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8.

Swatow

Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 12.

Hupei, B. & S., Feb. 12.

Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 15.

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Szechuan, B. & S., Feb. 16.

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Haiding, Douglas, Feb. 17.

Shantung, B. & S., Feb. 19.

Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 22.

Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 23.

Daviken, Jensen's, Feb. 23.

Foshing, Jardine's, Feb. 24.

Tinnon, B. & S., Feb. 21.

Hupei, B. & S., Feb. 12.

Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 23.

Oldenburg, Jensen's, Feb. 27.

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Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from Halphong and K. C. Wan, a.m., at C.M.S. N. Wharf—Dodwell (Tel. 18021).

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Tibbadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, Capt. Grooff, from Java and Mukok, at buoy No. A5—J. C. J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Shun Chih, British, 1,173 registered tons, Captain W. Lee, from Saigon, at buoy No. C1—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).

City of Florence, British, 4,382 reg. tons, Capt. N. Nancollas, from Shanghai, at buoy No. A8—Bank Line. (Tel. 27761).

Seistan, British, 1,571 registered tons, Captain W. B. Patey, from Swatow, at Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Behar, British, 2,910 registered tons, Captain S. F. Champion, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A4—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

DUE TO-MORROW

Tango Maru, Japanese, from Japan, a.m., at buoy No. A?—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Jean Dupuis, French, 386 registered tons, Capt. Lavalley, from Halphong and K. C. Wan, p.m., at buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tjikembang, Dutch, from Europe and Manila, a.m., at Holt's Wharf, J. C. J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

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Stentor, British, from New York via Panama and Manila, a.m., at buoy No. A?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Hal Ching, British, 1,322 registered tons, Capt. O. H. Farrar, from Swatow, a.m., at Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

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Laos, French, 734 registered tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti, from buoy No. B? for Tourane & Halphong, p.m.—M. M. (Tel. 26551).

Seistan, British, 1,571 registered tons, Captain W. B. Patey, from Douglas Wharf, for Swatow, Amoy, Hinghua and Foochow, 4 p.m.—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

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Cremer, Dutch, 2,770 registered tons, Captain Ahlers, from buoy No. A10, for S'hal, Penang, Belawan, Del. noon—J. C. J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Japanese, Prince, British, 5,238 reg. tons, Capt. C. S. Smith, from Kowloon Dock, for Manila, Cebu, Hilo, New York, Boston and Halifax, p.m.—Furness (Far East), Ltd. (Tel. 28165).

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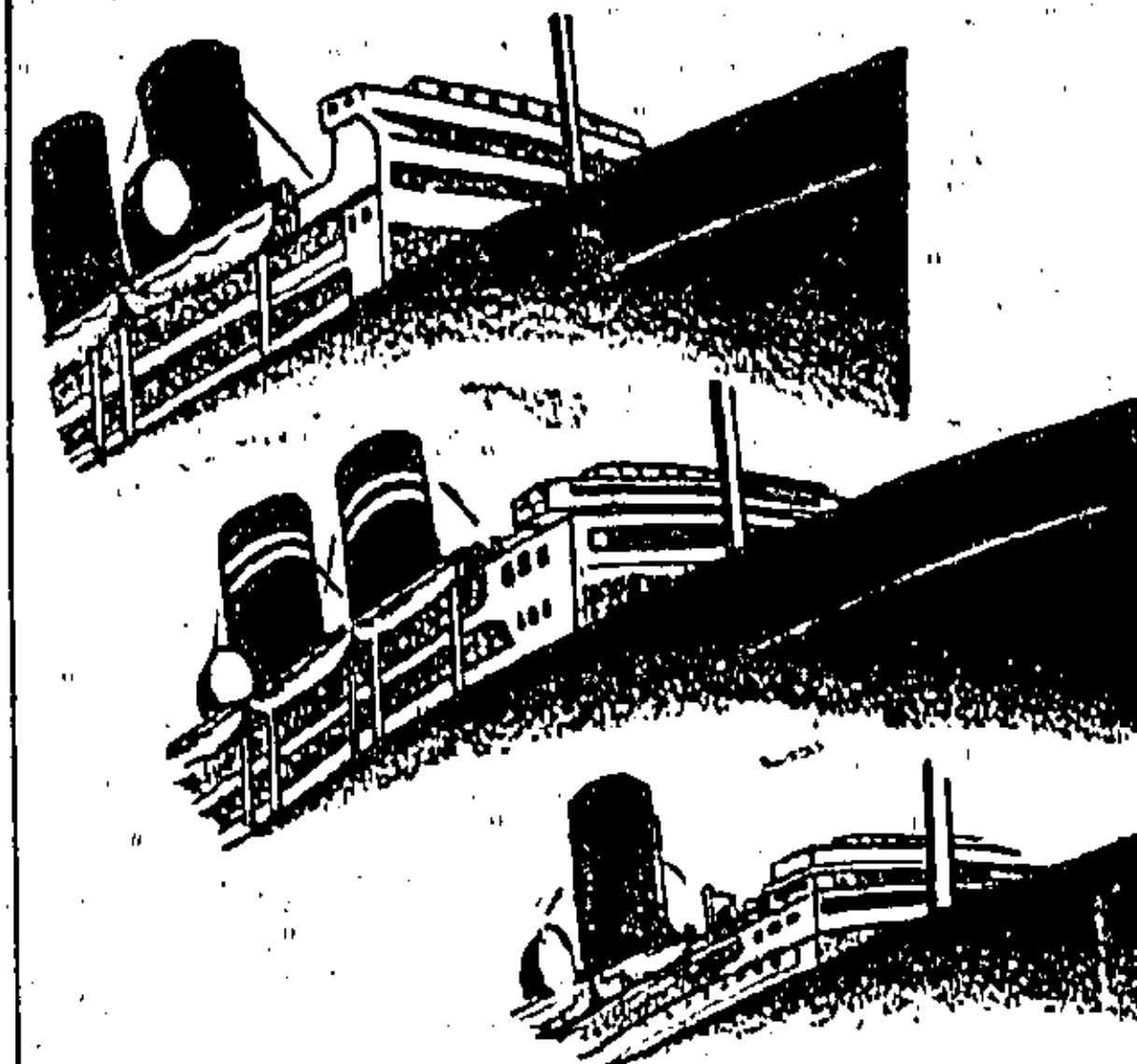
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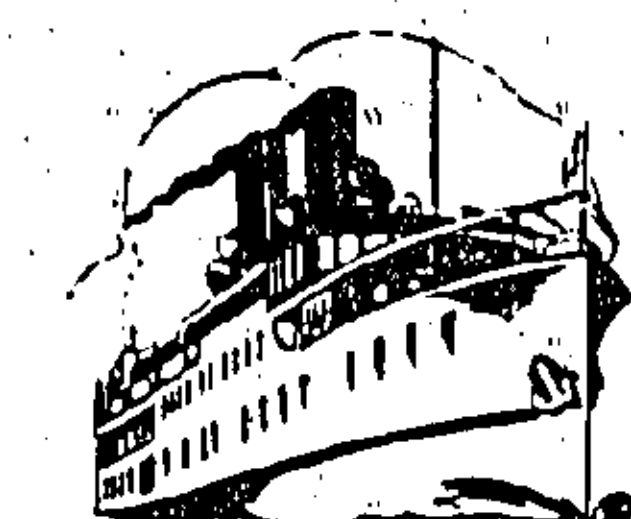
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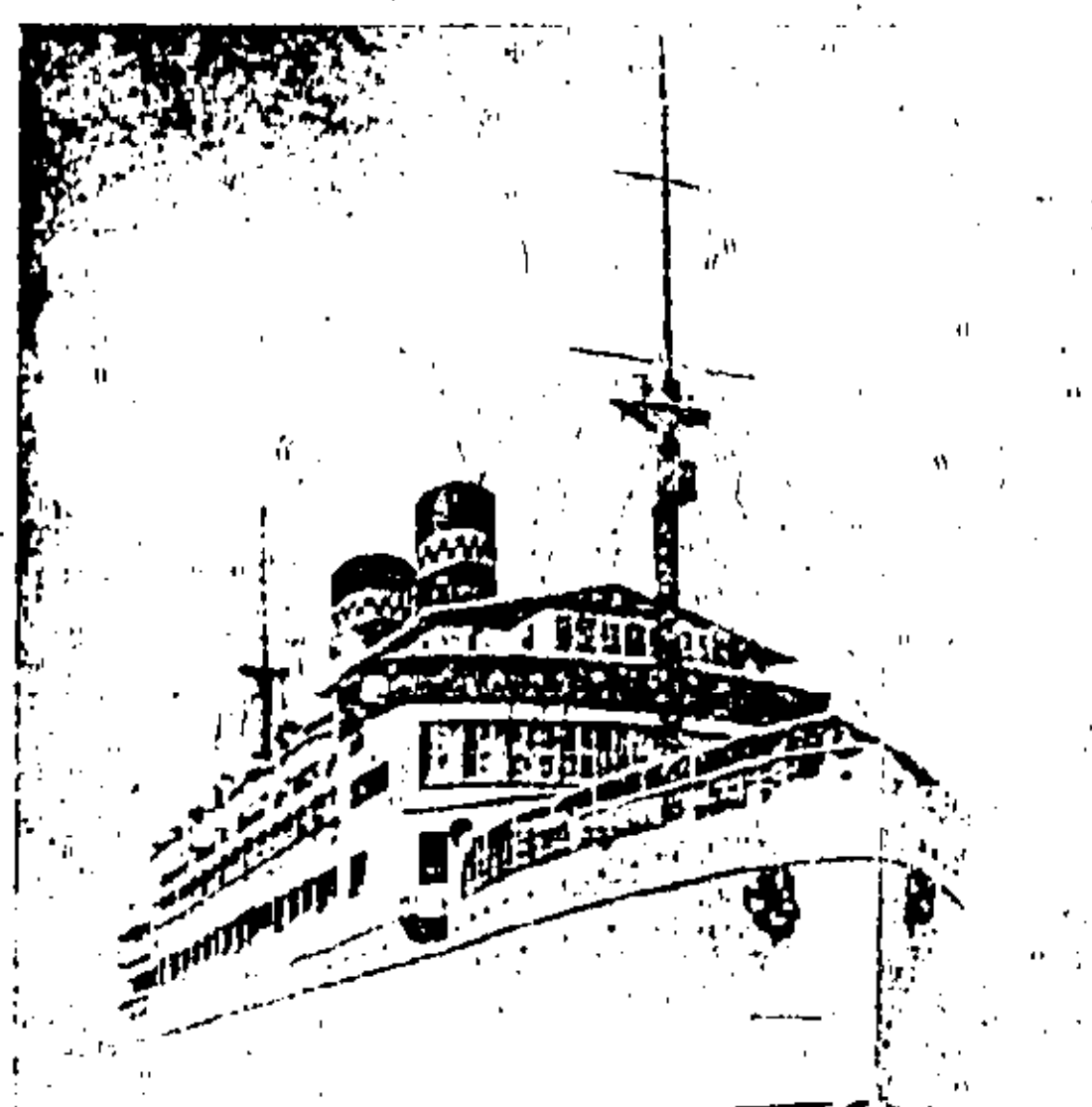
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CRICKET NOTES

KOWLOON-CIVIL SERVICE BEST GAME TO-DAY

Indians Play Army; Club And Recreio Disengaged

(By "TAC")

CHIEF INTEREST IN THE SENIOR LEAGUE CRICKET programme to-day centres in the game between Kowloon Cricket Club and Civil Service, at King's Park. As will be recalled, the C.S. caused an upset last Saturday when they beat Cragengower, last year's joint champions, by two wickets after getting them out for only 60 runs.

It is unlikely that they will be able to do the same to Kowloon but, on the other hand, I don't think the home side will take full points either. Strangely enough, I have a somewhat unreasonable feeling that home ground is going to be a disadvantage to the Kowloonites.

Kowloon, after a period of uncertainty, seem to have settled down to a formidable combination, but although on paper it is not so, yet in actual performance they are still far too dependent upon a few individuals. This is more manifest in batting, in which department it has become more or less a custom of recent years, should the first few men fail, for the rest to curl up. On the other hand, it happens often that if two of the first four bats get into the twenties, the middle and tail of the side will put on a lot of runs.

In bowling Robbie Lee, Frank Goodwin and N. D. Lloyd are all steady, and often dangerous, but there is very little variety. A bowler of the type of A. R. Minu or P. J. Billimoria would be invaluable to Kowloon.

F. BAKER'S RETURN

The return of F. Baker to the Civil Service side has strengthened the team considerably all round. Essentially a stock bowler, of the type that can go on for ever after over if required, Baker is also that kind of a batsman who in a very short space of time can change the whole complexion of a game. I feel he will have a large part in to-day's game.

In Richardson, Colledge, Perry, McLellan, Lay, Hawkins, and Baker, the Civil Service have seven batsmen of a style almost ideally suited to Saturday afternoon cricket. The guiding force behind the batting of all of them is to get runs quickly. This very attribute, however, is liable to help the other side get them out at times. R. H. Griffiths did not play last Saturday. If he does to-day the batting will be further strengthened.

INDIANS SHOULD WIN

Playing their only first home

league match for this season, the Indians entertain Army at Sookun-roo and, despite their very poor batting performances lately, should win. Army have not been doing anything this year, their main trouble being in batting.

This is rather strange, considering that they number in their side three or four men who are very good bats indeed. Why they do not come off more regularly is something of a mystery. On the face of it would appear to be lack of practice, but this is an unusual complaint with the Army.

Pte. Hatfield's bowling has been written up with almost monotonous regularity and in some quarters the opinion has been expressed that he is at the moment Hongkong's best bowler. Without subscribing to this view in toto, I certainly agree that he is probably the Colony's steadiest.

The early Indian batsmen are going to have no easy job wearing him down, particularly as, being a man of fine stamina, he can keep going for 15 or 20 overs without change and without losing his length.

NAVY-CRAGENGOWER

The other senior game is between Navy and Cragengower at King's Park. The latter, should win, though their unexpected defeat last week must have shaken their own confidence a deal. Club de Recreio and Hongkong Cricket Club should have met to-day, also, but this game has been postponed to next week at the request of the Club (I believe the Rugby Interport is the reason). Recreio are having an intra-club match instead.

With this postponement, and depending on results of to-day's matches, it is quite conceivable that the two teams will be practically deciding the championship between them on February 18, notwithstanding the fact that only four blocks of matches will have been played.

SHANGHAI R. U. F. C. VISIT

The Hongkong Football Club announce the dates, time, and venue of the two matches arranged for the Shanghai R.U.F.C. Interport team that will visit the Colony next week-end.

The visiting team will play the Hongkong Football Club at the Valley on Saturday, February 18, meeting the Combined Services in another game on Monday, February 20. The kick-off on either occasion will be at 4 p.m.

INTER-HONG GAME ON SUNDAY

An all-day inter-hong cricket match will be played at the Kowloon Cricket Club to-morrow between Jardine, Matheson & Co. and Butterfield & Swire; play commencing at 11 a.m.

The teams will be:—
Jardine, Matheson & Co.: N. L. H. Ralston (Captain), K. A. Baxter, N. D. Booker, N. J. Booker, B. Bosanquet, E. Bryson, G. N. P. Carey, J. C. Eager, P. O. Parsons, J. Prendel and A. Stafford.

Butterfield & Swire: N. P. Fox (Captain), A. L. Barton, G. K. Chadwick, J. T. Colerworth, M. Y. Fielles, P. F. McCabe, R. Miller, N. Rutherford, N. L. White, C. Pratt and A. R. Forsyth.

"DOUBLE" FOR ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

St. Mary's School recorded the "double" when they met the French Convent at net ball at Austin Road yesterday. Displaying marked superiority, the senior team beat the visitors by 18 points to five. In the other encounter the home team was never extended at any stage of the game, the final score being 13 points to six.—J.H.F.

SOFTBALL NOTES

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The Hongkong Baseballers, who are second last in the league standings, should experience little difficulty with the Machine Gunners who have lost their last four outings in a row, after starting off the season in great style. The Baseballers are the much more experienced gang and expect to be greatly strengthened by the inclusion of three new players, Bill Ramme, Harris and Brown.

The last Men's League game will see the Chinese Baseballers, playing their last game of the season. In an effort to break their losing streak at the expense of the Canadian Chinese. The former still have a bare chance of carrying off the Kwok Ying Shield, but will have to show great improvement to do so, especially as the squad has been badly depleted through the loss of some of their best players.

The Canadians, although unreliable, have been the medium of several big upsets, and it would come as no surprise, to me, if they again manage to do the trick in this Chinese Derby clash.

HONG GAMES

Two excellent Hong matches should be seen at the La Salle ground, when Socony and Lacas, the two strongest teams in Section B, meet the Hongkong Electric and National City Bank respectively. The Electricians scored a fine win last Sunday and on that display should provide plenty of opposition for Socony who are odds-on favourites to make a clean sweep of the other teams in this bracket with the possible exception of the Lacas squad who should make it two straight with a win over the N. C. Bankers.

The latter squad are not weak, by any means, but they cannot hope to match the

RUGBY CLASSIC TO-DAY

Malaya-Hongkong
Interport

COLONY HAS VERY DIFFICULT JOB

Malaya will play their last game in the Colony to-day on the Club ground at Happy Valley, when they will meet the Colony. The match will commence at 4 p.m. and will be refereed by Dr. J. A. R. Selby. His Excellency The Governor is again to watch the touring side in action.

Malaya have so far played two matches. In the first they drew with the Club with the score at 19 points all after a hard game in which the score fluctuated, first one side and then the other gaining the lead with the under-dogs always within striking distance of their opponents' score. Malaya won the next game against the Navy, when they showed much better form by the convincing score of 17 points to 6.

This test was carried out in spite of the fact that they were playing several men out of position and a reserve on account of injuries sustained in the previous match. The tourists put up a fine show in this game and their win was largely due to the liveliness of their pack.

Two or three forwards were always up with the ball in attack and assisted their backs by resolute and immediate tackling whenever the Navy were in possession. To-day's game will be a stern struggle and the result will rest in the hands of the two packs.

COLONY'S CHANCES

If the Colony can subdue the Malaya eight, which is very doubtful, and give their backs plenty of the ball, the Colony may win, but with Captain Simpson in the scrum-half position Henderson will have a difficult job feeding his fly even if the forwards do obtain a fair share of the ball.

It will be a game where no quarter will be asked or given, as the Tourists are determined to maintain their unbeaten record and the Colony are equally determined to vindicate local rugby by administering at least one defeat on the visitors.

TEAMS

The teams are:—

MALAYA

D. R. Harper (Captain), G. D. A. London, A. P. Craigie, Lt. J. E. Rieve, 2/Lt. J. H. Proctor, J. W. Ewart, Capt. F. W. Simpson, D. McBride, H. I. McLennan, R. W. McCall, J. F. M. Rouallo, P. O. McCall, J. McHugh, I. F. Mackenzie and P. W. Bourne.

COLONY

Pay Lt. Stevens, (Navy), D. H. Stewart (Club), P. O. Askwith (Navy), W. E. Grieve (Club), H. D. Bidwell (Club), Lt. Elliot (Navy) (Captain), J. R. Henderson (Club), K. A. Watson (Club), K. W. Salter (Club), 2/Lt. Cuthbertson (Army), W. E. Peers (Club), A. F. Walkden (Club), Lt. Anderson (Navy), A. J. G. Taylor (Club) and Lt. Humphrey (Navy).

CHANGES POSSIBLE

There may be some changes in the Malaya side prior to the match as it is still doubtful whether some of the injured players are sufficiently recovered to turn out to-day.

Admission to the game will be \$1.50 covered Stand, in which there will be a special reserved portion for Club members and \$0.50 to the Open Stand. Service men in uniform will be charged half price.

Dockyarders in the ability that only comes from long experience. Ewo and China Underwriters were both losers last week and it is rather difficult to judge which is the better ball team as although the Underwriters put up a much better fight, the Ewo boys were up against much stronger opponents.

The Shell Officers should win comfortably over the Hongkong Bankers who are unfortunate in that they lack a few experienced men to hold down the key positions.

In the only game in Section A, the two weakest squads of this section are scheduled to meet in a clash that will probably decide the eventual destination of the wooden spoon. Last week, the Airmen lost by 20 runs, but the American Express topped that in losing by 30 tallies!

In spite of that difference, the Express boys should win as they have an experienced pilot in Manager McConso.

FOREIGN MAILS

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Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C. date, 21st January)	Emp. of Russia	11th Feb.
Hai Phong, Pakhoi and Holloway	Sinkiang	11th Feb.
Saloon	Laos	11th Feb.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 4th February	Imperial Airways Plane	11th Feb.
Japan and Shanghai	Gneisenau	11th Feb.
Japan and Shanghai	Katori Maru	11th Feb.
Japan	Tango Maru	12th Feb.
Manila	Stentor	12th Feb.
Hai Phong and Fort Bayard	Jean Dupuis	12th Feb.
Shanghai and Amoy	Kwangtung	12th Feb.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 3rd February	Pan American Airways plane	13th Feb.
Straits	Anhui	13th Feb.
Java and Manila	Tjisadane	13th Feb.
Shanghai	Glengarry	14th Feb.
Calcutta and Straits	Taina	14th Feb.
Straits, Manila and London (London date, 5th Jan.)	Memnon	14th Feb.
Saloon	Pres. Doumer	15th Feb.
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Shanghai	Lima Maru	15th Feb.
Japan	Asama Maru	15th Feb.
Shanghai	Athos II	15th Feb.
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan (San Francisco date, 21st Jan.)	Pres. Folk	15th Feb.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.) London date, 10th January and London (London date, 12th January)	Rawalpindi	16th Feb.
Calcutta and Straits	Kutsang	17th Feb.
Straits	Burdwan	17th Feb.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi	17th Feb.
Australia and Manila	Atuta Maru	17th Feb.
U.S.A., Honolulu Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 27th Jan.)	Pres. Taft	18th Feb.
Vanilla	Conte	20th Feb.
Amoy	Blancamano	20th Feb.
	Bantha	23rd Feb.

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For	Per	Date and Time
SATURDAY		
Sandakan	Mausang	Sat. 11th. 8.30 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 21st February	Katori Maru	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 12th March	Katori Maru	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.45 AM Ord. 10.30 AM
Hoihow	Muinan	11.30 AM
Fort Bayard	Kiangsu	Noon
Hai Phong	Yusan	1.00 PM
Formosa, Shanghai and Japan	Hakone Maru	1.30 PM
Amoy	Prominent	3.30 PM
Air Mail for "Air-France Service"—due Marseilles, 26th February	Shunchih	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM
Vanilla	Emp. of Russia	4.30 PM
Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Gneisenau	4.30 PM
Papers only for Straits and (Parcels and Papers for Calcutta)	Tilawa	Parcels 4.00 PM Papers 5.00 PM
Amoy	Tjibadak	5.00 PM
Saloon	Shunchih	5.00 PM
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu U.S.A., Central and South America via San Francisco and (Papers only for Canada)—due San Francisco, 2nd March	Pres. Coolidge	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 3.00 PM Reg. 4.15 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
SUNDAY		
Hai Phong	Laos	Sun. 12th. 9.00 AM
Amoy	Selatan	9.00 AM
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Hupei	9.00 AM
MONDAY		
Dairen	Talhybius	Mon. 13th. 10.30 AM
		K.P.O. Par. 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Vanilla, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island due Thursday Island, 25th February	Changte	G.P.O. Par. 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 20th February	Imperial Airways Plane	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Airmail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 20th February	Imperial Airways Plane	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
TUESDAY		
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco 21st February	Pan American Airways plane	Reg. 13th 5.00 PM Ord. 13th 5.30 PM
Formosa and Amoy	Canton Maru	Reg. 13th 5.00 PM Ord. 14th 7.30 AM
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Kwangtung	2.00 PM

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